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Jackie -
Lots of luck
to a
sweet
girl.
Always
Pal. Plan
Jan Carter

Jackie -
Lots of luck
to a sweet kid.
And I know you
loved M.V. Reynolds
as much as I did
Jim Roberts

Dear Jackie -
We've really had
sometimes in High School
I'm glad we can
have next year.
You're quite a gal!
Suzy

Good luck
God Bless
Love You
Penny
Kitty

Love
and
everything
great to a
great sweet
girl
Love
Marilyn
Carlson

Dear Jackie,
There's a coast
we gave plenty at Frazier
to your both as one
personality,
Love
Smile
Copeland

Boy, we made it.
It's been a short haul
now, and I'm glad it's over.
Best of luck in your coming
years.
Bruce Stenglein

Best of everything
to a swell girl
Love Jeanne

Love and kisses
always plus good
luck etc. Be a good
girl at C.S.M.

Louise Smith

Dear Louise
It's been great being
in receipt of the above
classes with you. We
started Tuesday
English I
English II

Hi

Plenty of luck in the future too
sweet gal
love Bill Hardy

Hi Jackie, have a nice summer and everything turns out in the future, the way you want it too.
Best of luck.
Love Lola Martin

Hi Jackie
Good luck
Have fun this summer,
Love, Helen Sue

Dear Jackie
It's really been swell knowing you. Thanks for asking us. It's Autumn all see you around.
Don
Gloria

We have a fine summer and be a good one and stay healthy
F. Darryl

To the oldest,
neatest greatest
dont work to hard
over the weeks of
Summer and dongetom
love
Jim

To Jackie
Good luck
Kid. Lots of
Luck.
Jon Rickett '54

Jackie
your lovely
and I hate to
see you go
good luck
Jerry
Fenske

Dear Jackie,
It's been fun
having you in
my P.E. class and
typing. Good Luck
after you're out of
high school.
Love,
Nancy
Dillenburg

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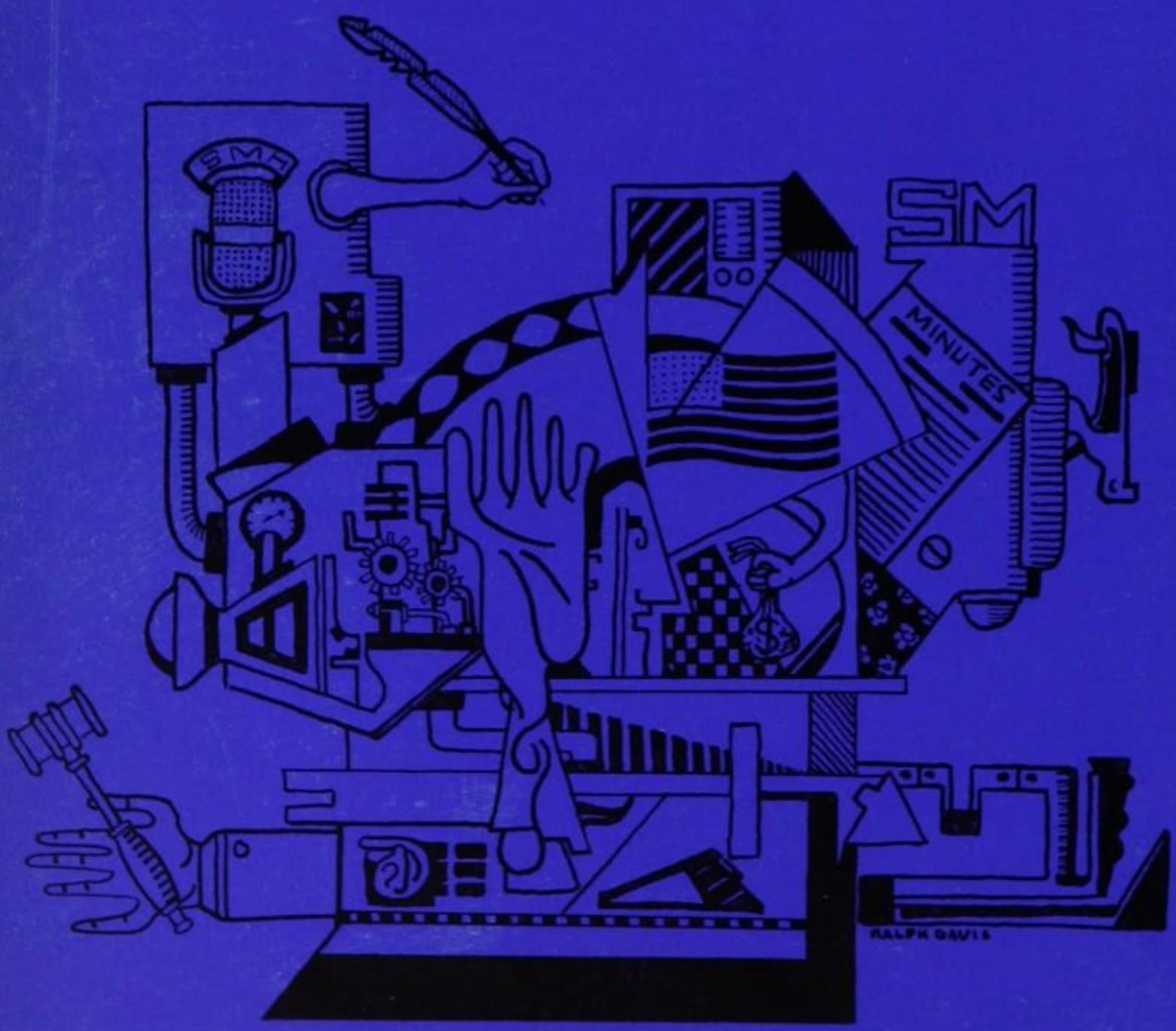
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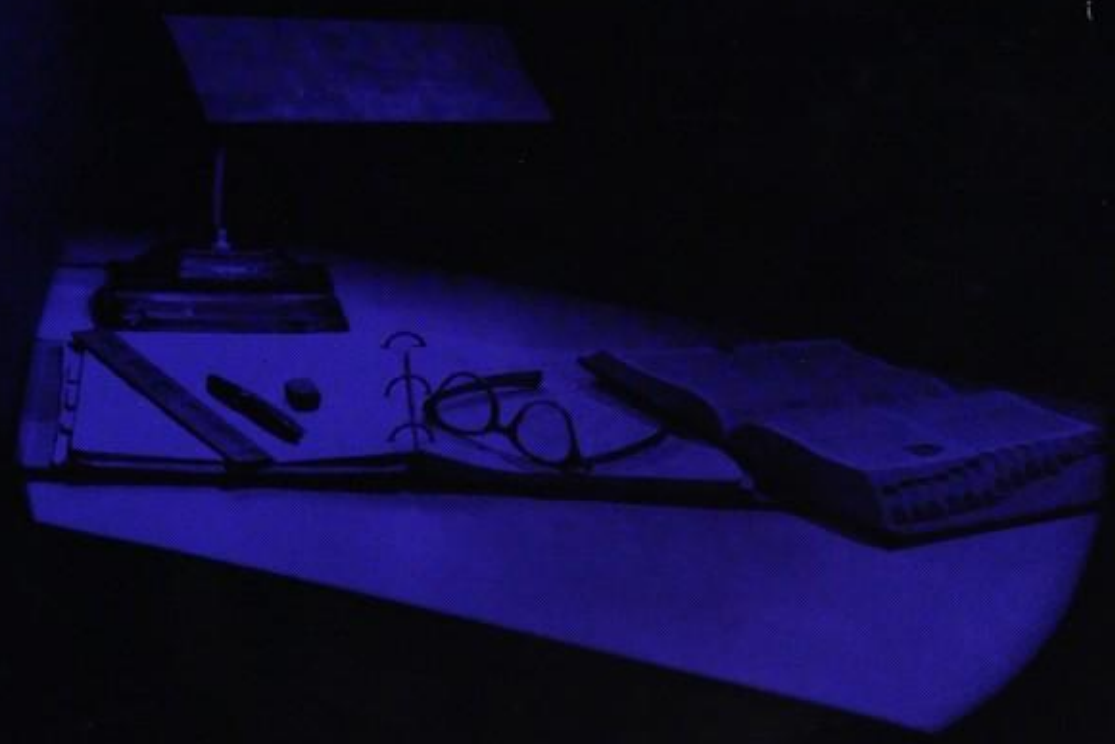

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SAN MATEO HIGH SCHOOL
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SPOTLIGHT ON SAN MATEO

One of the greatest years in San Mateo High's history—that's what the 1954 Elm represents. Your annual this year is tied together by a spotlight theme and will focus the limelight on each of the several outstanding features of the year in its turn. Through words and pictures it will attempt to depict the life, the students, the faculty and administration, the campus, and the activities at the lair of the Bearcat.

The lights are dimmed, the curtain goes up, the fanfare sounds, and stepping into the the spotlight first is the administration and faculty of our school. While there is much disagreement between students and faculty over various issues, a student at San Mateo enjoys the benefits of a fine group of teachers who really know their stuff and who are really concerned with his success. Special thanks should be given to the staff of counselors and the faculty advisors of certain student groups.

The light is flicked off and then back again—this time focused on our student government. Our student leaders this year showed an unusual ability and a desire to make our school a better one. The A.G.S. and A.B.S. both enjoyed successful years, thanks to the hard work of both fall and spring officers, cabinet, and representatives. The student body officials, together with their commissioners, worked tirelessly in behalf of their fellow students. Class officers and their councils also turned in good jobs.

Next, the spotlight is turned on the students themselves. A section is devoted to each class, in which everyone has a chance to be pictured. In this department, the '54 Elm scores an outstanding first—picturing individually the junior class. Much credit for SM's good year should be attributed to the average student of Bearcatville. He and his mates showed a tremendous school spirit, one rarely matched in high school.

Now stepping into the spotlight's beam are the athletes of San Mateo. Rarely has the campus seen such a successful year in an all-around sense, with strong teams in almost every sport. While not winning the championship, the football team brought themselves undying glory by beating hated Burlingame for the first time in nearly ten years. The basketball team was a strong contender for the title and powerhouse outfits were had in both baseball and track. We had success in all our lightweight and frosh-soph sports plus good teams in swimming, golf, tennis, and cross-country. For the first time, San Mateo had a gymnastics team, which through their hard work brought great credit to the school and their coach. The girls also enjoyed an outstanding athletic program, led by their two fine commissioners. They participated in such sports as hockey, swimming, basketball, and badminton.

The limelight is next enjoyed by the wonderful system of clubs afforded the Bearcat student. Our clubs showed great variety and range, designed to satisfy all. Those interested in languages, drama, sports, photography, science—all found something to their taste.

Also deserving of much attention are the many activities enjoyed. We had many social events which provided a good time for all. There were such gala events as the French Club annual, the Junior Prom, and the A.G.S. formal. Two new features were enjoyed—the A.B.S. dance in the fall and the big Grad Night celebration for the seniors and their guests on the night of graduation. There were successful fun nights and the seniors had two great skates. The seniors also had their annual luncheon, Jinx Day, and Senior Ball. Many rallies were enjoyed. After-game dances had unusual success during the year.

Last, but certainly not least, to come into the spotlight is the senior class. To the seniors, more than any other class, this book belongs as it will live to give them memories of perhaps the happiest year of their lives. They stand on the verge of their careers and are faced with really serious problems for the first time. They stand out as one of the best classes to graduate from the halls of San Mateo and should be given a big pat on the back for their great contribution to the success of 1953-54.

Now the spotlight is turned off, the curtain comes down, and we are at the end of our book. The seniors are gone, the juniors are about to enter into the big year, and the sophomores with typical zeal are about to enter the year which will mark the peak of their interest, participation, and endeavor. The freshmen are jubilant as they are no longer the strangers. It's been a good year, one that will be remembered always by those who made it so.

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Helped Us Through A Successful Year

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FALL

Our Officers Worked Hard

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Larry Gifford

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Bryan Drennan

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MUSIC
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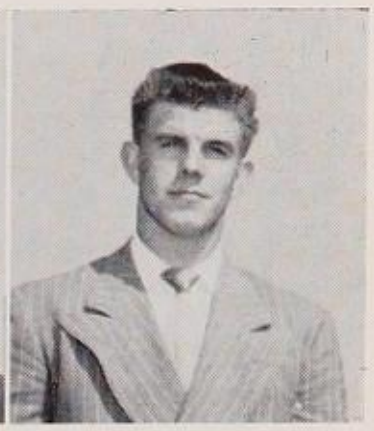

Auditor
STAN KOMPST

COMMISSIONERS SPRING

But They Were Not Alone

Art
Caroline Caldwell

Auditorium
Bob Anderson

Boys' Athletics
Curt Lemmon

Cafeteria
Larry Hunt

Co-op
Ralph Davis

Community Service
Larry Gifford,
Linda Copeland

Dance
Bob Schumacher

Dance
Maureen Day

Drama
Harriet Fogerson

Elm
Bob Farnam

Frosh Boys
Kris Kristofferson

Frosh Girls
Cynthia McMurtry

Grounds
Tom Holland,
Dick Bagley

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Dick Lyman

Music
Bob Gifford

Publicity
Judy Ebright

Radio
Mel Carter

Rally
Jimmae Bowen,
Howard Hill

Recreation
Don Matfock

Traffic
Tom Bodmer

Parliamentarian
Jim Nelson

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Many Student Leaders, Pulling Together

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Led The Student Body With The Spirit

That Kept San Mateo High On Top

FALL STUDENT COUNCIL

FIRST ROW, left to right: B. James, M. Langsdorf, P. Hogberg, B. Grinnell, M. Day, M. McCallister, B. Roveta, S. Hansen, J. Minahen, J. Cordes, D. Nicholson, C. Burmester, J. Smith. SECOND ROW: D. Lyman, O. Semba, J. Ray, J. Kristjanson, J. Cohen, B. Goodwin, Navello, C. Scholl, L. Pisani. THIRD ROW: H. Pellzner, C. Waltz, B. Schumacher, S. Thigpen, L. Merrill, C. Lemmon, R. Friedenthal, D. Carlson, G. Whitten, L. Knox. FOURTH ROW: B. Farnam, R. Gilchrist, J. McKenna, H. Karr, W. Danielson, G. Lee, D. Gardner, H. Zall, C. Sims, B. Hurd, S. McCurdy, L. Gifford.

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FIRST ROW, left to right: E. Dietos, T. Brazil, R. Hays, N. Colcord, A. Chickozola, K. Croxford, A. Jacobson, J. Neiderhaus, T. Boyd, J. Tell. SECOND ROW: A. Nakahara, M. Coburn, P. Brakesman, L. Mumaugh, B. Bredsteen, J. Persson, G. Jackson, K. Mussman, J. Stockey, B. Smith, N. Ferrington. THIRD ROW: J. Kelso, C. Cisler, L. Shapro, G. Pederson, B. Barrie, R. Levin, H. Engleschirchen, P. Thigpen, B. Goodwin, M. Carter. FOURTH ROW: B. Gardella, J. Parker, D. Sciafe, D. Gilchrist, B. Gilchrist. FIFTH ROW: T. Edwards, S. Ogren, J. Seith, S. Morrison, B. Gifford, S. Danielson, D. Hamilton, C. Lemmon, P. Curley, T. Austen, J. Lemmon, B. Drennan, C. Mitchell, M. Greeny, T. Bodmer.

STUDENT COUNCIL

Now the spotlight falls on your Student Council. This body, formerly known as Ex-Board, worked hard and efficiently during the year. It promptly swung into motion in the fall under the leadership of Student Body President Bill Odom. Student Council is a combination of the executive and legislative parts of the student government. The student body officers comprise the executive part. Their commissioners and an elected representative from each home room constitute the legislative branch. This body met weekly and discussed student problems and proposed activities that concerned the student body.

One of the first big items on the fall agenda was the proposed student lounge. Bill Odom appointed Lanny Merrill as chairman of a committee to look into this. His committee laid valuable groundwork which should prove helpful to the goal of getting the lounge completed next year.

Tied in with the lounge problem was the annual P.T.A. membership drive. Student Body Auditor Harvey Zall and the students working with him in conjunction with the P.T.A. made arrangements with the parents and teachers that if, through campaigning on the part of the students, 1000 members could be acquired, the P.T.A. would contribute $200 to the lounge fund. The quota was reached, the money was acquired, and this was another big step forward. Special thanks should be given to Lanny and Harvey and all the other students who devoted so much time to this project.

The Rally Commission, in cooperation with the fine staff of cheerleaders, arranged several good rallies during the football season. These were highlighted by the one preceding the Little Big Game with Burlingame. Al Talley of California football fame spoke to the students and three great guys named McGuire, Dunn, and Smith brought down the house with a hilarious skit. (See page 78.) Our football queen, Bev James, and her princesses were crowned and the football team was honored. Also held in conjunction with the Rally Commission was the annual Color Week in which anyone caught wearing red had to pay the consequences.

The noon intramural program was again run off with great success by the Recreation Commission. Leagues were formed in both football and basketball and stiff competition was afforded boys who were not out for school sports. A ping-pong tournament was also held. In the spring, both boys and girls were able to compete in a very successful mixed doubles badminton tournament.

In February, Lanny Merrill was elected to succeed Odom as A.S.B. prexy. Lanny quickly put his machine into high gear and no time was lost because of the transition from one administration to the other.

One of the feature projects of the spring semester was the all-school carnival. Odom had appointed Rosalie Hays as chairman of the carnival committee during the fall and she and her aides started work early. This committee turned in a good job and a very successful carnival was enjoyed by record crowds. The student body treasury was bolstered greatly by the funds from this event. It was featured by booths run by the various clubs and other organizations and special features included a barker, a queen, and a dance.

Also making big news during this time was the work of the P.T.A. toward having a celebration for seniors and their guests on graduation night. This was something new and was met with great favor by parents and students alike. Negotiations were made for a big-name band and the local country club. It was hoped that this would become a big annual event in the future of San Mateo High.

The Constitution Committee, under the direction of Harvey Zall, did good work during the year. One important change was a new make-up of the school finance committee. It called for the election of two members of each class to serve on the finance committee and to remain on the committee until graduation. In this way there would always be experienced members available to handle the important financial problems of the school. These members would be in addition to the present members of the committee.

Many fine assemblies were enjoyed during the year. These were featured by the jazz concert put on by the junior college dance band.

The Dance Commission deserves much credit for its work during both semesters. The after-game dances met with unusual success and all the big dances were greatly enjoyed by all in attendance.

The Art Commission did a fine job of advertising school functions through posters and banners throughout the the entire year. Our show case in the lobby always had a display of some department of the school, ranging from work done in the shops to a display advertising Elm sales.

Yes, it was a good year for the Student Council and both presidents and their administrations should be congratulated for a job well done.

A.B.S.

FALL A.B.S. OFFICERS

President
JIM GILKEY

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Secretary
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FIRST ROW, left to right: Larry Israel, Ralph Parker, Wayne Fujito, Joe McCarron, Bob Nichol, Jim Cavin, Ken Lee, Jack Anderson, Bill Hardy. SECOND ROW: Wayne Wong, Tom Jensen, Curt Lemmon, Warren Danielson, Wally Juchert, Gino Della Libera, Charles Dursten, Chuck Scholz, Bob Foley, Don Linck, Tom Bodmer.

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WARREN DANIELSON

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A.B.S. CABINET (SPRING)

FIRST ROW, left to right: B. Foley, L. Gifford, C. Waltz. SECOND ROW: D. Schumacher, G. Tinker, W. Danielson, H. Stallman.

The A.B.S. and A.G.S. had hits on their hands

A.G.S.

FALL A.G.S. OFFICERS

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CYNTHIA McMURTRY

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CABINET (FALL)

LEFT TO RIGHT: Charline Morse, Shirley Hansen, Cynthia McMurtry, K. Lee Manuel, Karen Wedemeyer, Carol Ottley.

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CAROL LUSCH

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with dances, assemblies, banquets, and drives

Looking back over the dramatic, exciting and at times comical play of this past year maybe you will remember a special character that seemed to impress you or maybe an event will stand out most vividly in your mind. More than likely you were most impressed by the fact that while each of us worked to keep our class in the spotlight as much as possible we all worked together because we knew that in a play each part is vitally important to the success of the whole. Let's review the first three acts of our play and recall just what we have done in working toward the stardom of our senior year.

FROSH

At first, frosh, because you had never had a part in such a big production, you were a little uncertain and nervous, but as the plot became more involved, you began to live the part and you lost that uneasy feeling. The first event in the new play was a fun night to help you get acquainted with each other. Vollyball, a talent show and a dance were included on the program. Before you could plan and participate in this spectacular event you had to be shown how a big production such as this works and just where you fit into it. Your very able first semester officers, John Ireland, Ann Sheffield and Ruth Sutherland, planned to do this by holding a freshman assembly. The A.B.S., A.G.S. and G.A.C. presidents told you about some of the activities and events you could participate in. Also the school pep band and frosh-soph cheerleaders led your cheers for the stars of our play. Another assembly was to be held before the first act came to an end. The new tumbling team formed just this year performed for you. This year for the first time you elected a council member who attended the executive council meetings. This made your part in the play even more important. Your second semester officers, Barry McCarron, Scott Danielson and Karen Greve, planned an eventful semester for you including being in charge of the sponge throw booth at the Carnival. This ended your first act and you look back with a feeling of superiority as you realize that you are through with being the understudy and can start that climb up the ladder into the spotlight!

SOPHS

Sophs, you wanted to start the second act of our play with a grand opening. For this your first semester officers, Jim Nelson, Pat Curley and Becky Whittlesey, planned a soph fun night with all sorts of games and entertainment plus a dance afterward. With the grand opening behind you, you went ahead to become one of the most active classes in the school. The main event in your first semester was a talent show for an all-school assembly! This was a tremendous success and was said by some to have been better than any other school talent show this year! Some of the great acts which earned this praise were: a trio consisting of a piano, drums and an accordion; a few piano solos; Pat Allan on the fiddle, and as a grand finale, a singing quartette. This was not all. Your second semester officers, Dick Dumke, Jack Finney and Ann Bercaw, planned a sophomore hop, the first to be held in a long while. Later on you chose the Cake Walk for your booth in the Carnival. Having such a successful year behind you, you look forward with confidence to the excitement and thrills of the next two acts of the play when you will be—upperclassmen!

JUNIORS

As upperclassmen your parts in the play became more and more important. Frequently you looked up and found that the spotlight was on you. You are the leaders! Your first president, Janet Cordes, along with the others officers, Allan Russell and Peggy Holman, put forth a valiant effort and succeeded in getting larger participation than many a class preceding yours. You started off with a bang by having a fun night including volleyball, ping-pong and a talent show with Tom Edwards and Mr. Dunn as M.C.'s. To add a little variety you also held folk dancing for the first time. A second fun night was planned by your second semester officers, Guy Lee, Gino Della Libera and Diana Nicholson, who added swimming to the program. Also you held a junior skate and ran the hotdogs-and-coffee booth in the Carnival. The climax to the third act was of course the annual junior prom! To provide a little romance which is essential to most any play, you chose the romantic name "Blue Mist" for your prom. The soft music of Elmer Vincent added to the theme of your dance. As the curtain comes down on the third act you realize with amazement that you will no longer be a small part of a tremendous production. Next year your part will be most important. You will be the stars of the play! The spotlight will be on YOU—as seniors!

These groups were your representatives

JUNIOR COUNCIL—FIRST ROW, left to right: N. Hubbard, S. Bach, J. Cordes, J. Heberling, J. Straus, H. Norry, S. Mustain. SECOND ROW: R. Aliamus, J. Hayes, A. Russell, P. Merle, D. Hilker, D. Dietz, B. Shields.

SOPH COUNCIL—FIRST ROW, left to right: R. Myre, J. Williams, J. Angier, A. Ratto, P. Shubkagel, B. Hamilton, P. Curley, (unidentified). SECOND ROW: W. Fujito, H. Karr, J. Nelson, H. Dong, P. Wilson, T. Bodmer.

FRESHMAN COUNCIL
FIRST ROW, left to right: S. Evers, O. Hornquist, K. Greve, A. Jacobson, A. Sheffield, J. Neiderhaus, S. Lytken. SECOND ROW: M. Freeberg, R. Sutherlin, J. Ireland, D. Pomeroy, C. Engdahl, T. Seweloh.

CLASS COUNCILS

JUNIOR COUNCIL
FIRST ROW, left to right: M. Mazzonchini, J. Strauss, J. Van Noovden, B. Grant, N. Jacobson. SECOND ROW: B. Manolis, G. Lee, B. Miles, L. Player, T. Minatel, P. Merle.

SOPH COUNCIL
FIRST ROW, left to right: T. Brandt, L. Fey, L. Shoub, J. Williams, C. Larson, J. Danewood. SECOND ROW: E. Eskilson, R. Dillon, J. Nelson, D. Joslin, J. Finney, D. Hamilton, C. Bleuss, D. Dumke, C. Saysette.

FRESHMAN COUNCIL
FIRST ROW, left to right: L. Haite, L. Ross, A. Norton. SECOND ROW: R. Childers, K. Greve, N. Snyder, R. Smith, A. Willard, S. Jovanette. THIRD ROW: J. Hollister, D. Dawson, S. Danielson, C. Engdahl, G. Fujito, S. Giovinetti.

President
JANET CORDES

FALL OFFICERS
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AL RUSSELL

Secretary
PEGGY HOLMAN

CLASS

As their third year passed the

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R. ALIAMUS
J. ALLEN
A. ANDERSON
B. ANDERSON
J. ANDERSON
G. ASHBY

S. BACH
D. BAER
J. BAIR
B. BANKS
B. BARRACLOUGH
J. BARTON
S. BAURER

L. BECKER
B. BELLOWS
V. BERG
A. BERGSTEDT
B. BEVAN
J. BIHLER
L. BLACK

B. BREDSTEEN
B. BOCHMAN
G. BODEN
B. BOHN
W. BOOTH
B. BORLAND
J. BRADFORD

P. BRALLIER
B. BRANDING
J. BRAUN
C. BRENNAN
H. BRIZZILARI
K. BROOKS
M. BRUBAKER

P. BICKEL
B. BUCKMAN
D. CANTONE
S. CABELL
J. CALKINS
W. CARPENTER
V. CARLSON

J. CARWIN
R. CASHO
S. CAUZ
G. CAVA
L. CELESTRES
P. CHAPIN
A. CHEW

E. CHEUNG
A. CHICKAZOLA
G. CHILTON
R. CHOINERE
J. CAVIN
C. CISLER
C. CLAYTON

M. CLINTON
B. COONEY
J. CORDES
B. CORRUCCINI
D. COX
B. CREEKS
D. CREIGHTON

J. AMES
J. CROWLEY
V. CUNNINGHAM
D. DAHEL
T. BOBBITT
S. DALTON
J. DAMON

of '55

Juniors developed into real leaders

President GUY LEE

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B. DAWSON
A. DE BARRY
D. DEGAN
D. DEKLE

G. DELLA LIBERA
P. DE NOLA
P. DEXTER
F. DIEHL
D. DIETZ
J. DIGIONMO
N. DILLENBERG

C. DILLER
D. DISNEY
W. DOWNER
L. DRAIS
C. DRANEY
D. DREYFUSS
D. DUCKHORN

D. DUNBAR
C. DIRKSEN
S. EADS
B. EBERT
M. EASTMAN
C. EDWARDS
T. EDWARDS

S. EDWARDS
J. EARLBECK
K. ELLIS
P. EMPY
D. ACKERMAN
D. ESPIRITU
M. EWALT

G. EVANS
L. FAIRLY
H. STALLMAN
D. VARSI
J. FENDRICK
W. SPRAGUE
M. SPENCER

D. FISHER
E. FISHER
L. FISHER
B. FISHER
M. FISHER
D. STEINBAUGH
B. FOLEY

J. FORST
D. FOSTER
G. FREEMAN
B. FRESCHI
R. FRIEDENTHAL
D. FULLER
M. FUNG

R. FURUYA
C. GARRISON
C. GATES
L. GEER
B. GIANONI
R. GILCHRIST
J. GIBBONS

L. GILKEY
P. GILMORE
B. GOAD
V. GOODRICH
C. GOODWIN
B. GRANT
D. GREENHILL

They chose able officers who helped

L. GREVE
J. HAAKER
R. HAGENAGH
J. HAMILTON
B. HAMARDLA
J. HANLON
B. HARDY

G. HARMON
S. HASLAM
R. HAY
M. HAYASHI
J. HAYES
D. HAYLOCK
D. HAINES

C. HAYS
R. HAYS
M. HEALEY
J. HEBERLING
C. HECKENKENPIV
J. HEDGES
P. HENDERSON

B. JA
P. HENDERSON
J. HAROLD
D. HILKER
H. HILL
P. HIRSCH
G. HO

B. HOGG
B. HOFFMAN
P. HOLMAN
C. HOPKINS
D. HORNQUIST
N. HUBBARD
D. HUDSON

B. LEDER
K. IKEDA
R. IRELAND
C. JACOBS
J. JACOBS
N. JACOBSON
D. JANG

G. JOHNSON
S. JOHNSON
B. JONES
T. JUDSON
C. JULIAN
B. KAHLER
U. KARMAN

A. KAMRAR
J. KECHICHIAN
J. KELSO
B. KEMPER
M. KENNEY
F. KERTZ
C. KLINE

C. KLINK
D. KOHNKE
F. KRUSIC
L. LACK
E. KIRCHNER
S. PRICE
M. LAZARUS

D. WILCOX
S. LE DREW
G. LEE
G. LEE
P. LEE
D. VALDEZ
P. LEMOS

them plan a fabulous Junior Prom

A. LONG
R. LORENZETTI
L. LESTER
D. MacINTOSH
J. LIND
J. LINDSEY
L. LUIS

D. MAAS
K. MADSON
F. MANNA
B. MANOLIS
D. MARQUIS
J. MARSHALL
J. MARTENS

J. MARTIN
D. MATLOCK
F. MARTINI
R. MATTOS
E. MAUSSER
M. MAZZONCHINI
M. McADON

J. MATSUMOTO
S. McCALLUM
P. McCULLY
A. McCURDY
S. McCURDY
L. McKINNON
J. McWILLIAMS

P. MERLE
C. METER
B. MILES
C. MILLER
M. MILLER
E. MacDONALD
A. MINATEL

E. MITCHELL
M. MITCHELL
B. MOCK
D. MOHR
R. MORESKO
F. MORGAN
M. MORGAN

N. MORRIS
E. MORSE
S. MUSTAIN
P. NAUD
D. NEWLAND
D. NICHOLSON
R. NORDEN

P. NOLAN
E. NORRE
D. NORTON
M. NYDGEOR
S. O'NEILL
J. O'NEILL
L. OSWALD

M. OTA
C. OTTLEY
B. PACK
J. PARK
B. PAYNE
A. PELLIZER
J. PETERSON

L. PETERSON
C. PETTIS
D. PHILLIPS
D. BICHE
L. PISANI
B. PLATE
L. PLAYER

They proved that they are ready

M. POAGE
M. POLATI
R. PULLEY
D. REAVIS
G. REID
P. PETERSON
D. RICKETT

P. RIDGEWAY
D. ROACH
I. ROE
J. ROBERTS
N. ROGERS
A. ROGERSON
M. ROLING

C. ROSENTHAL
M. RICHARDS
J. ROSS
P. ROSSI
R. RUDDEN
A. RUSSELL
C. SAMUELIAN

B. SANCHEZ
F. SANTO
D. SCHRAMM
P. SCHENONE
J. SCHULZ
C. SCHWED
G. SEBREE

B. SHIELDS
M. SHARP
O. SEMBA
R. SIERRA
R. SIMMONS
S. SIMPSON
J. SMITH

JOHN SMITH
B. SMITH
B. SMOTHERS
B. SPOTSWOOD
B. SPUCK
D. STEELE
M. STEIN

W. STEPHENSON
D. STERLAKER
J. NEKITANI
D. STRANGE
J. STRAUSS
D. STUDDERT
E. SUNBLAD

J. TABLER
S. TADSON
M. TAKESHITA
P. TOFT
C. TONNA
P. THILTGEN
C. MITCHELL

J. TILLEY
H. TRUE
B. TUPPER
J. TURCHET
J. NOORDEN
G. VENTURELLI
F. VODICKA

R. WAGNER
C. WALTZ
B. WARD
T. WARD
M. WATTS
K. WEISING
E. WEITZEL

For the big step to seniors.

J. WEIRLOND
L. WEST
F. WESTON
M. WHITESIDE
F. TATSUKAWA
J. WILHELM
R. WILHELM

M. YAMA
J. NETTLE
R. YEEMAN
G. YOUNGSMAN
J. ZICHOSCH
T. ZIEGLER
G. MARTINEZ

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Secretary
BECKY WHITTLESEY

The Sophs show spirit

CLASS

FIRST ROW, left to right: Sandeman, Mesker, Wainright, Meter, Cook, Della Libera, Brown, Armstrong, Mieklejohn, Kohnen. SECOND ROW: Esptein, Hendrickson, Ackerman, Slettedahl, Dougherty, Swain, Gutzwiller, Little, Godley, Bauer. THIRD ROW: Taub, Whiting, Miranda, O'Keefe, Williams, Bleuss, Daniel, Burnam, Leong, Maxwell, Jung, Macpherson, Berryman.

FIRST ROW, left to right: Tonna, Logeman, Santin, Brackett, Dei Tos, Beer, Shaub, Peters, Colby, Brakesman, De Nola, Halstead, De Nola, Lawrence, Mascia, Benton, Denely, Brooks. SECOND ROW: Wong, Grazier, Pearson, Jordon, Moscato, Loomis, Aslin, Blanchard, Whitehurst, Burrows, Toensdeldt, Morgan, Hayes, Montrini, Blas, Juchert. THIRD ROW: Wanake, Scholl, Bons, McClure, Matson, Michelson, McClellan, Watkins, Gellidon, Turnulle, Bercaw, Grant, Butschy, Gardiner, Griffith, Walker, Way, Morgan, Greenhill, Charmow, Bloise. FOURTH ROW: Bickley, Camozzi, Andreadis, Brich, Pierucci, Cane, Bagneschi, Weisiny, Hansler, Guidry, Shoub, De Martini, Sullivan, Bertron, Gilchrist, Pennisi. FIFTH ROW: Bachman, Lindeman, Yoshimoto, Imachi, Marubayashi, Freeland, Gidal, Schaad, Schiller, Graves, Eitel, Lufrano, Still, Biagi, Earril, Peters, Jacabaeu.

FIRST ROW, left to right: Scalf, Morita, Murdock, Taylor, Verlinden, Wyant, Saysette, Whittlesey, Myre, Ludemann, Gibson, Searls. SECOND ROW: Lynch, Boney, Michel, Hill, Dunlap, McHenry, Mead, Graziano, Jones, Stevens, Paul, Osborn, Barrusch, Dochow. THIRD ROW: Cabal, Astin, Lee, Tuck, Hermann, Lanning, Warren, Taylor, Cerutti, St. George, Watson, Biagi, Anderson, Belesi, Birnbaum, Philpott. FOURTH ROW: Rulafson, Christensen, Clark, Dillan, Schmitt, Post, Firenzi, Knox, Sinclair, Jue, Wong, Eskilson, Kumli, Perry, Klam, Kenny.

In their second successful year

of '56

President
DICK DUMKE

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JACK FINNEY

Secretary
ANN BERCAW

FIRST ROW, left to right: Colter, Karr, Rosen, Vierra, Schram, Stub, Christmas, Bartel, Lee, Allen, Baird, Rinard, Lowenstein, Pelzner, Michel, Dinsmore, Lim. SECOND ROW: Tsavalas, Jansen, Joslin, McDaniel, Wilson, Adolph, Mulliken, Paulson, Armstrong, Armstrong, Andrade, Armstrong, Jacobsen, Ovellette, Hansen, Venturoni, Larson. THIRD ROW: Hotchkiss, Gaines, Morray, Hungerford, Amtmann, Sholz, Hendrick, Anderson, Leavitt, Iverson, Woolf, Bragg, Carwin, Clampit, Altieri, Layne. FOURTH ROW: Robinson, Brown, Shubkagel McCallum, Sandell, Strand, Kristofferson, Curnow, Futterer, Lzsak, Ghida, Simonson, Yurugi, Stockman, Boyd, Sims, Ackley, Price.

FIRST ROW, left to right: Orange, Murdy, Ruy, Tilford, Ray, Vodick, Finney, Bortolin, Ruhl, McCann. SECOND ROW: Hall, Brazil, Pinkham, Franguero, Beise, Jorgensen, Pelton, Sullivan, Reed, Wells, Quintana, Lawrence, Blues. THIRD ROW: Ferrington, Tanner, Behler, Olson, Manning, Carlon, Christensen, Peace, Wakeman, Friederich, Kensinger, Tell.

FIRST ROW, left to right: Royster, Shimzn, Gardella, Williams, Muhleman, Trott, Brandt, Santo, B. Muhleman, Seidel, Hickey. SECOND ROW: Czapkay, Dong, Waller, Harrington, Von Husen, Dunn, Hatfield, Asbell, Castle, Powers, Hamilton. THIRD ROW: Webster, Moomaw, Bruno, Varanzoff, Angier, Ratto, Henon, Hurd, Pandell, Peterson, MacInnis, Brennan, Burnett. FOURTH ROW: Bevilockway, Marshall, Moreno, Soper, Baskett, Carlson, Tatsukawa, Huyck, Lynn, Haylock, Chan, Binsacca. FIFTH ROW: Hoag, Grothe, Marshall, Dittnock, Ikeda, Smith, Di Stefano, Pomeroy, Parsons, Caldwell, Jang, Louis, Halsted, Kvarme, Mills.

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Secretary
RUTH SUTHERLIN

The Freshmen showed great promise as they

CLASS

FIRST ROW, left to right: Gilmore, Dreifuss, Empey, Garcia, Mott, Shanzer, Barley, Dallal, Curyea, Burns. SECOND ROW: Paine, Ross, Oswald, Porter, Hansen, Harmison, Alexander, Morris, McMahon, Wanake, Yulick, Fladger, Hornquist, McHugh, Willard, Jenswold, Sheffield, Sleipness. THIRD ROW: McNeil, Hossack, Miller, Mills, Martin, Berberick, Courshon, Shelby, Hagan, Lewis, Garstad, Davis, Kottaron, Dohemans, Holmes, Bendinelli, Kvarme, Crouch, Hillberc. FOURTH ROW: Boyd, Krough, Stocker, Bragg, Armstrong, Wooden, Hazel, Bartlett, Ramblas, Rosander Barley, Yeakey, Davis, Albert, Smith, Smothers, Saller, Linde, Hunter. FIFTH ROW: Taga, Yorke, Lowenstein, Brockway, Miller, Polat, Dell'ara, Wirgler, Serratius, Stern, Stewart, Wingett, Warren, Thatcher, Smallcomb, Price, Lee, Jew, Jones, DeMasi.

FIRST ROW, left to right: Flores, Fletcher, Zapkay, Chambers, Cracchiolo, Ewing, Erlbeck, Parker. SECOND ROW: Oida, Friedman, Gray, Duffy, Corey, Alltucker, Thomas, Rowley, Simpson. THIRD ROW: Thigpen, Jacona, Kemme, Worgna, Arriloga, Danielson, Dawson, Wallick, Wasserman, Lanka.

FIRST ROW, left to right: Wade, Savage, Wong, Tharpe, Scholz, Rasey, McClelland, Jenne, Rozewski, Snow, Kinden, Boots, Sander, Mahoney. SECOND ROW: Peterson, Jacobsen, Lytken, King, Aeschback, Bernat, Lorenz, Hull, Hansen, Dianich, Williamson, Yonkers, Hartman, King, Smith, Turner. THIRD ROW: Simpson, Rieden, Jefferson, Kraft, Grinnell, Prescot, Devodier, Sato, Paxton, Jorgensen, Ween, Corsey, Israel, Ryan, Smith. FOURTH ROW: Gibson, Huffman, Surby, Marshall, McKirdy, Portman, Croxford, Long, Pressey, Barton, Nevard, Norris, Rozmus, Almer, Peterson, Ogren. FIFTH ROW: O'Brien, Roland, McKnight, Skaife, Pearson, Wisen, Olroyd, Leusaman, Glendwin, Hein, Rothe, Ott, Talley, Stevens, Shogren.

Sallied through the fun and fears of being Frosh of '57

President
BARRY McCARRON

Vice-President
SCOTT DANIELSON

Secretary
KAREN GREVE

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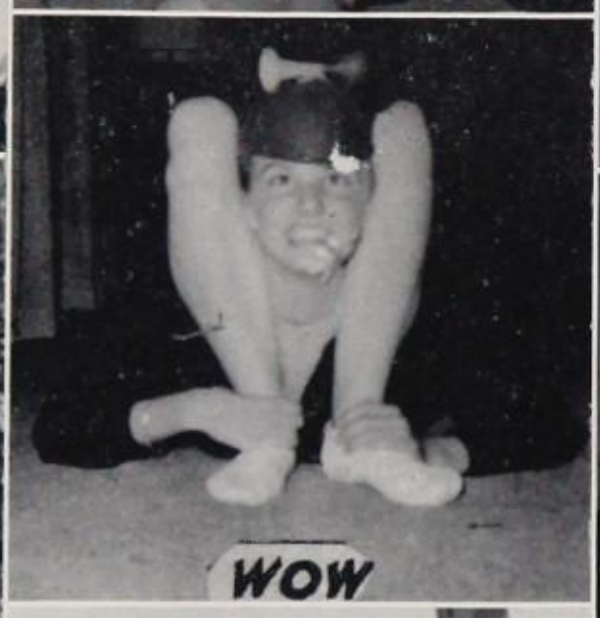
FIRST ROW, left to right: Cason, Porter, Garrison, Pisani, Gulliksen, Cavagnaro, Wahlen. SECOND ROW: Johnsen, Gillies, Smith, Colby, Hanson, Tyree, Stowell, Hinners, McGuire, Abercrombie, Benson, Bailey, Kirby, Colcord, Scholl, La Parr, Seaton. THIRD ROW: Drennan, Silveira, Johanson, McLean, Choiniere, Cabrow, Bailey, Parker, Nall, Abbott, Symnos, Hansen, Naples, Nakamitsu, Onyang, Ottinger, McIntosh. FOURTH ROW: Harvey, Evers, Watmough, Sturm, Louis, Figaro, Benidt, Barton, Boarts, Boschero, Cocconi, Nelin, Truluck, Midtlie, Smith, Brasier, Harsell. FIFTH ROW: Rudd, Liebman, Toomey, Jachens, Simpson, Senith, Schulz, Engdahl, Seweloh, Heming, Elfiring, Amaral, Harris, Marcus, Long, Lehman, Lee, Norris, Parish.

FIRST ROW, left to right: Gillanders, Walletstein, Fick, Broxholm, Lassell, Jew, Robinson, Mohan, Levitan, Benson, Lagen, Knowleen, Greeny, Munson. SECOND ROW: Cullen, Baker, McMasters, Brennan, Lakken, Carpenter. Root, Pomeroy, Martin, Dorrill, Hislop, Drake, Ryall, Schmidt, Greve, Worthington, Sutherland. THIRD ROW: Rinard, Kless, Thomas, Johnston, Langrock, Morgan, Dawson, Parkinson, Song, Kile, Finnegan, Cranford, Casho, V. Peterson, Pisani, O. Peterson, Furuya.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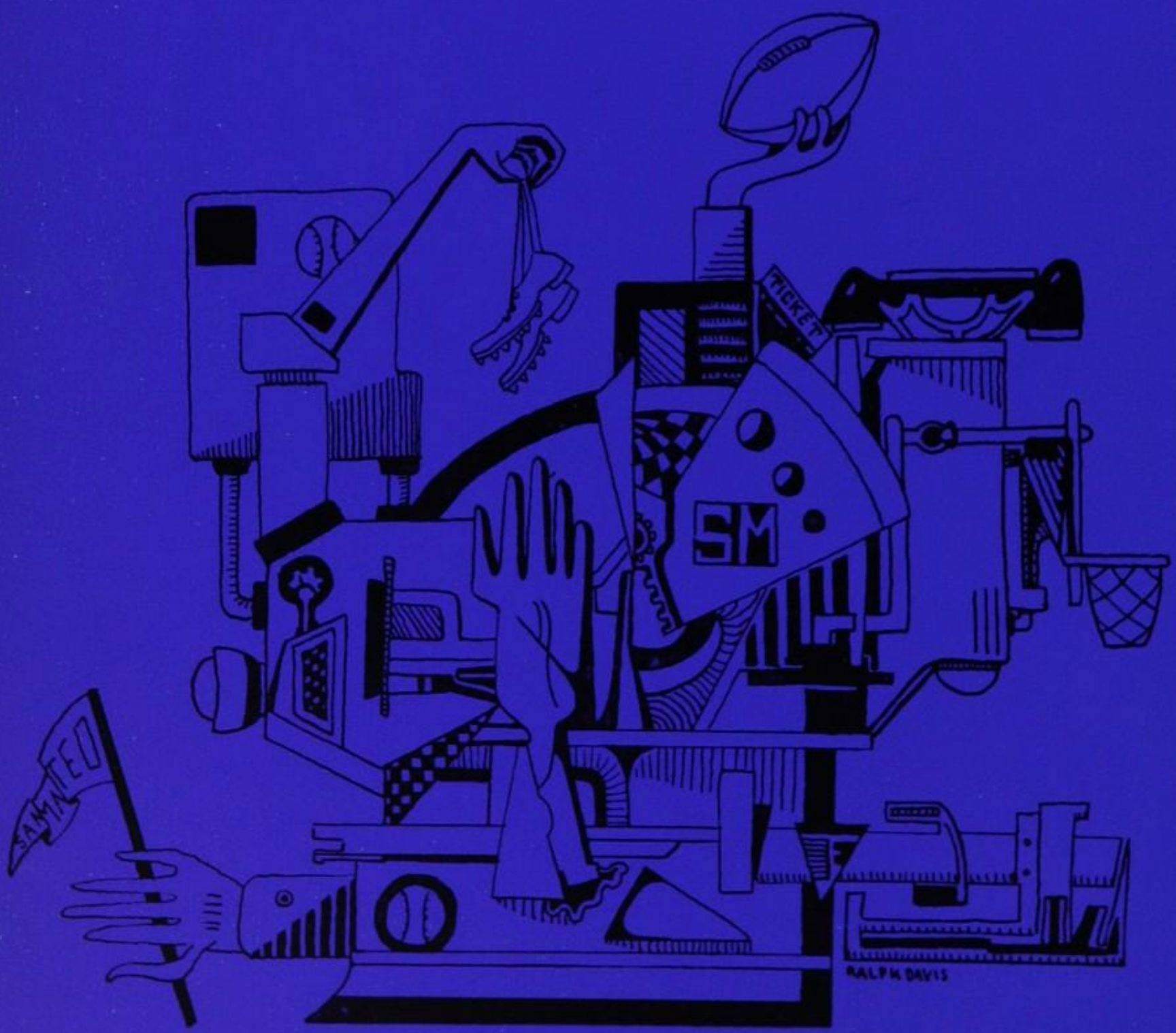
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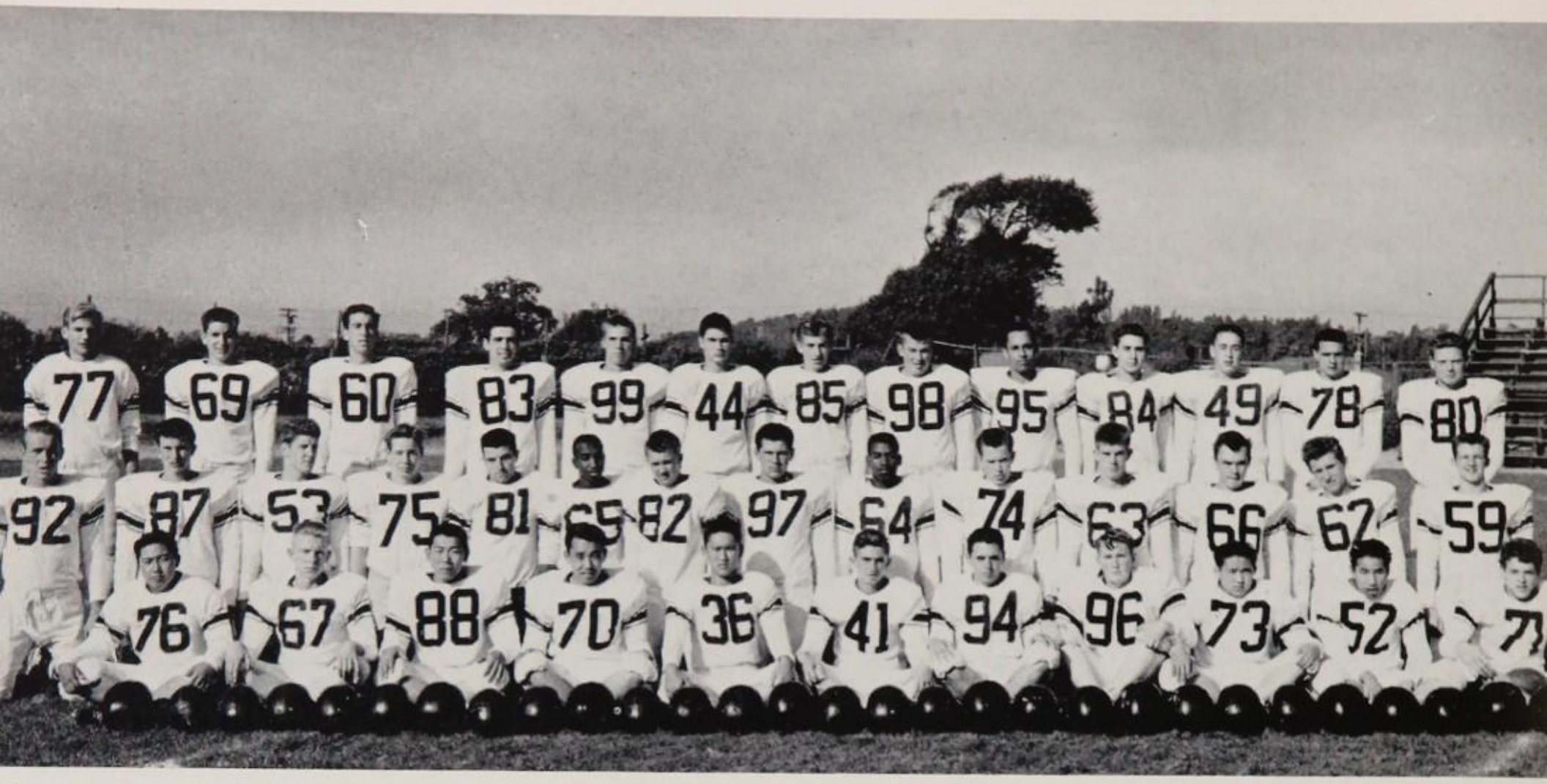
SPORTS

SMHS is proud of its varsity — awful proud



FIRST ROW, left to right: J. Ono, R. Dunbar, B. Hanada, O. Semba, K. Ikeda, R. Wagner, B. Wilkinson, R. Hilliard, G. Kitagawa, J. Chow, G. Cable. SECOND ROW: F. Manna, C. Draney, J. Gilkey, R. Ridgeway, D. Roach, L. McLemore, K. Kristofferson, G. Della Libera, M. Lax, E. Weitzel, S. Kompst, G. Meyers, A. Long, J. Hayes. THIRD ROW: L. Hunt, L. Lack, D. Gansel, P. Nolan, A. Bergstedt, L. Kahler, D. Rautman, B. Creeks, E. Fernandez, B. Odom, R. Gustafson, J. Kunz, R. Devincenzi.

VARSITY FOOTBALL

Expected to do no better than fifth in the PAL race, the Bearcats of San Mateo started the season with a rush, bogged down at midseason, and then finished in a whirlwind, capped by the tremendous upset of archrival Burlingame. In league play, they had four wins, three losses, and one tie, good for fourth place. The won-lost record was unimpressive; but the way the Bearcats came fighting back after personnel setbacks and three losses to win their last three games was an achievement to make the members of SM Hi mighty proud.

SM opened the season with a 27-7 win over tough Monterey. Standouts were Mickey Lax and Lepoleon McLemore with their running, and George Kitagawa with his pass-catching, good for two TD's.

In the first game of the league season, the 'Cats held title-favorite Lincoln to a 0-0 tie, which saw Mateo's lightly-regarded defense come of age. The following week, the Bearcats stopped weak South City, 12-0.

Then the Mateans fell to the inspired play of Capuchino, 20-6. There wasn't much to be said about this one—we were simply played off our feet. The spirits of the Bearcat faithful really dove as Jefferson edged us out 25-20 in a real thriller, featuring a great passing duel between Jeff's Ray Rosa and Bucky Kahler, by now one of the best gunners in the league. San Jose cut off any SM title hopes with a 32-20 triumph which saw Lax score all three 'Cat TD's in a great individual performance.

Now the Bearcats came through with their great late-season splurge, downing Sequoia and Palo Alto in quick succession, readying themselves for the supreme effort against Burlingame on Turkey Day. SM went into the game as heavy underdogs but, with a superlative team effort, realized the first Big-Little game win in eight long years, 14-0. The season was capped by the selection of Gino Della Libera as all-PAL center, with Kahler, Lax, and Kitagawa all receiving second-team honors. It was truly a great season.

Head Coach
FRANK COLLIN

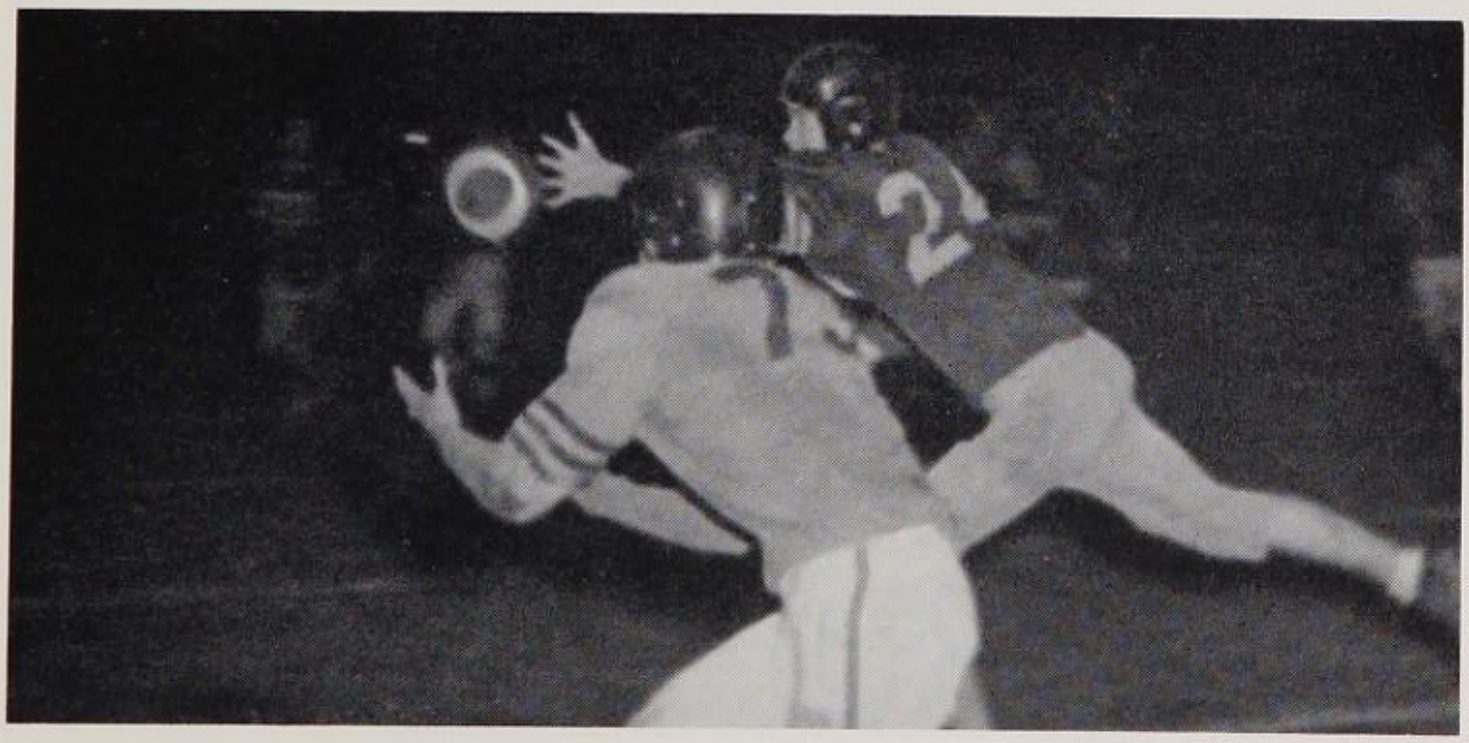
Line Coach
FRANK McGRAW

Assistant Coach
ED KUEFFER

With tremendous spirit, the rooters . . .

Score: San Mateo 27, Monterey 7.

Score: San Mateo 0, Lincoln 0.



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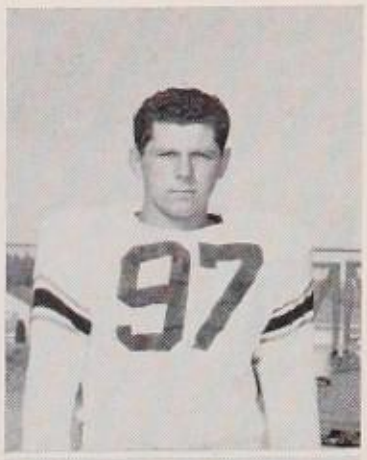

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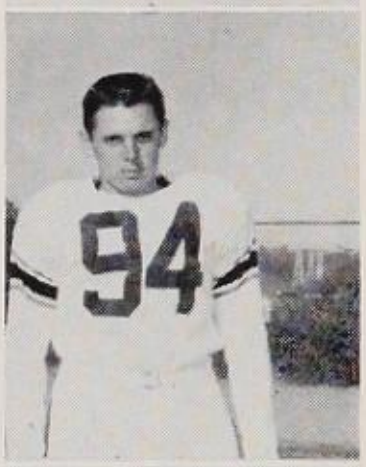


BOB WILKINSON

GEORGE KITAGAWA

JERRY KUNZ

Watched their team, win, tie, and lose

DON ROACH

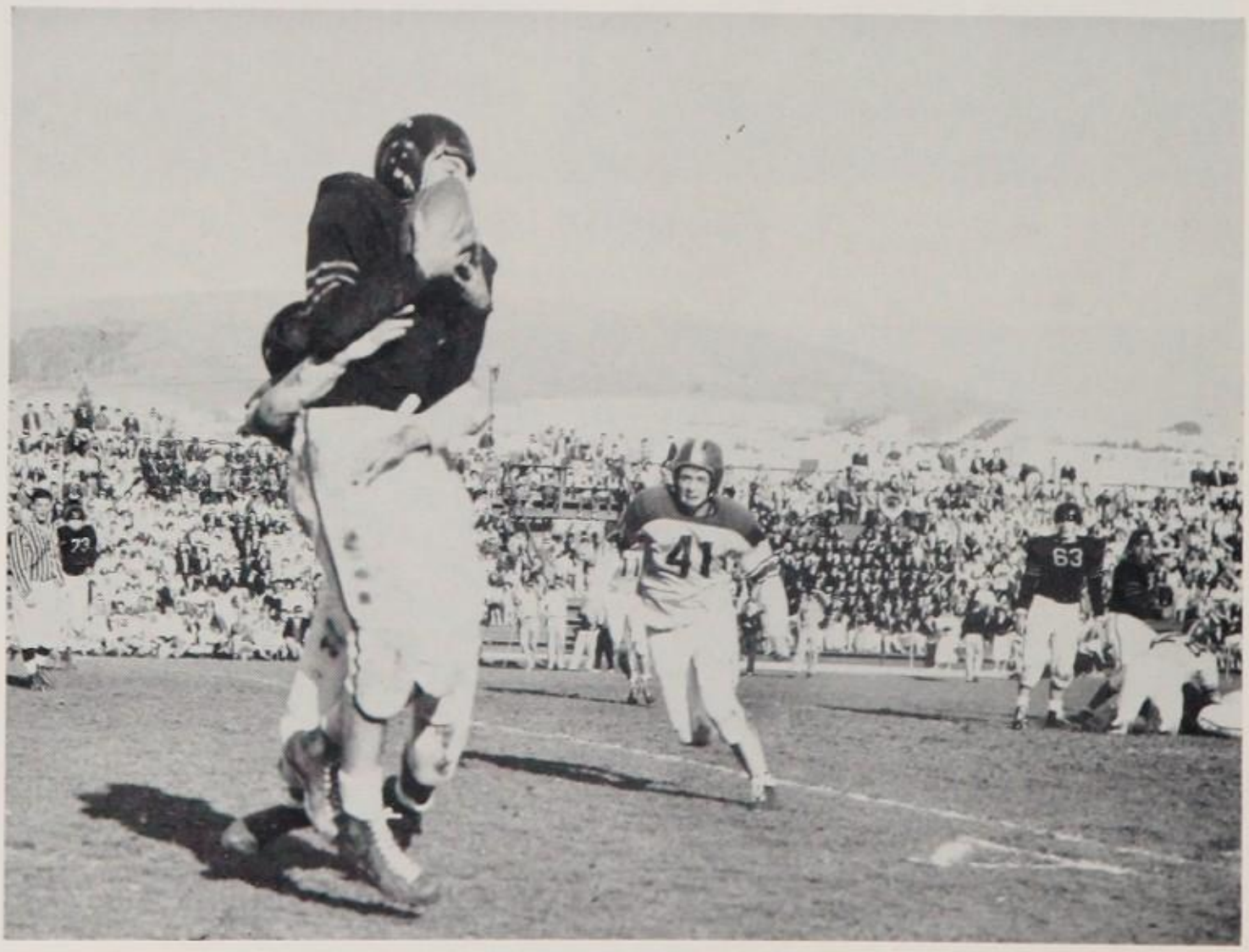
JIM GILKEY

STAN KOMPST

CHARLES LAX

ROY GUSTAFSON

Score: Capuchino 20, San Mateo 6.



Score: Jefferson 25, San Mateo 20.

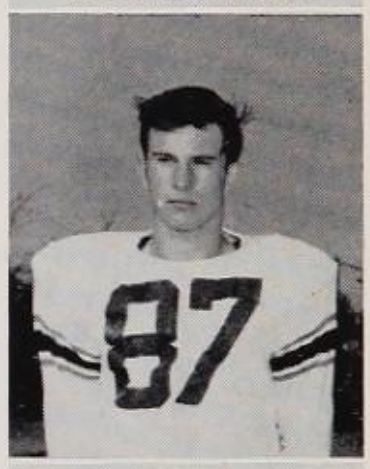
Then came the day we beat Burlingame

Score: San Jose 32, San Mateo 20.

Score: San Mateo 19, Palo Alto 6.

BUCKY KAHLER

DICK RAUTMANN



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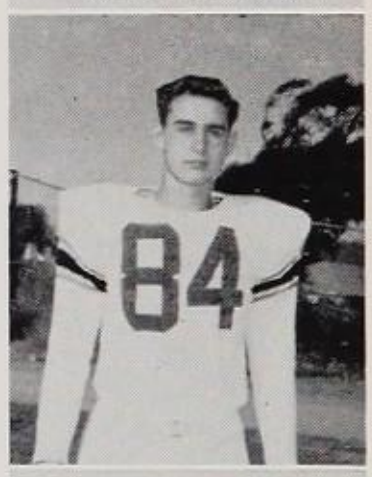


BILL ODOM

KRIS KRISTOFFERSON

Turkey Day, 1953 - - The Unforgettable Win!

JIM ONO

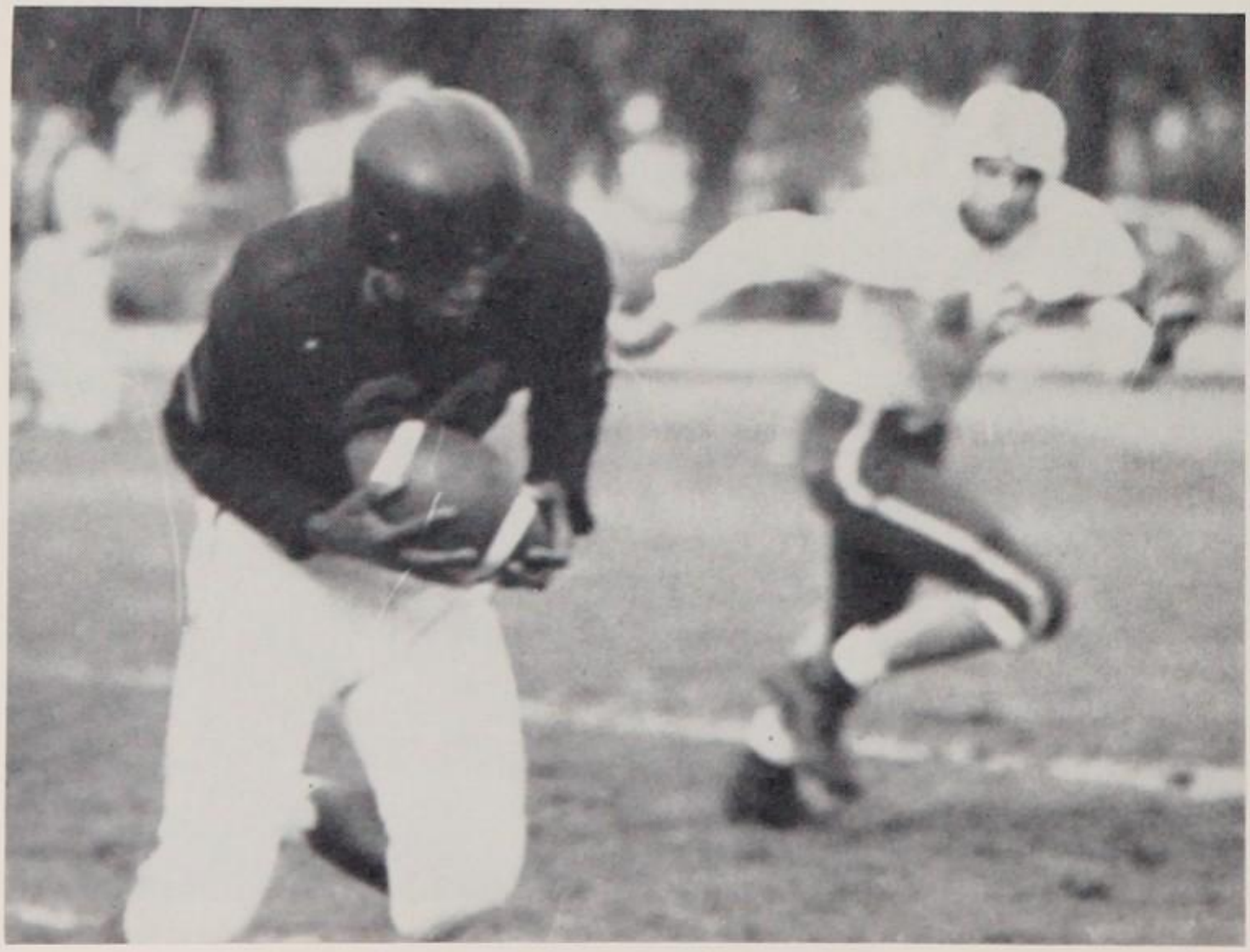
EDWARD FERNANDEZ

LEPOLEON McLEMORE

GARY GABLE

OLIVER SEMBA

Score: San Mateo 15, Sequoia 6.



Score: San Mateo 14, Burlingame 0.

POMPON GIRLS
LEFT TO RIGHT: K. Lee Manuel, Carol Ottley, Bobbe Hoover.

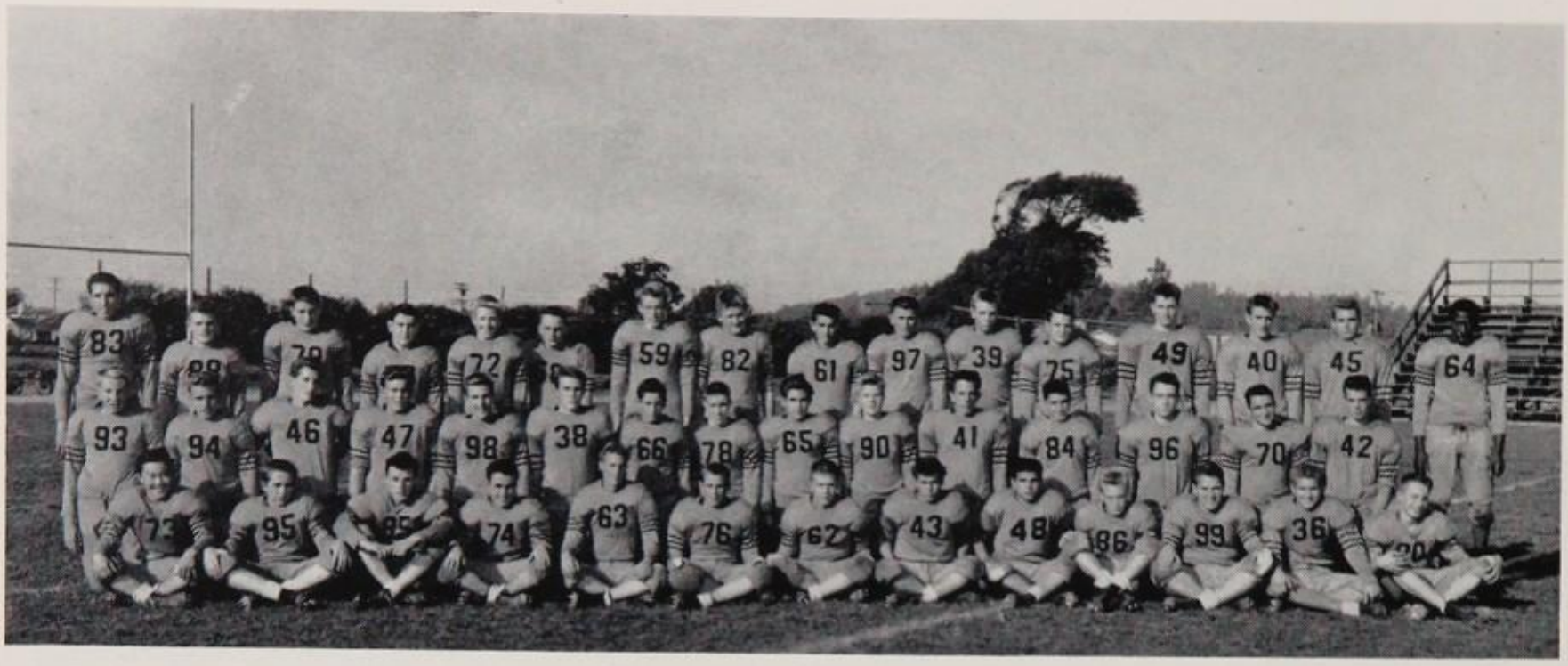
FROSH-SOPH CHEERLEADERS
FIRST ROW, left to right: Carol Larson, Linda Shoub. SECOND ROW: Ragna Myre, Fran Beer, Eda Dei Tos.

HEAD CHEERLEADER
Gail Burnstein

VARSITY CHEERLEADERS
FIRST ROW, left to right: Jimmae Bowen, Linda Player, Marilyn Dunn. SECOND: Gail Burnstein.

Our Spirited Cheerleaders.

FROSH-SOPH



FROSH-SOPH FOOTBALL SQUAD

FIRST ROW, left to right: W. Fujito, D. Caudill, G. Mankins, M. Garrotto, L. Grant, R. Siebecker, B. Woy, T. Ferrari, J. Proud, P. Foster, D. Dumke, R. Levine, J. Hollister. SECOND ROW: J. Rawley, B. Livingston, N. Rosen, B. Manning, P. Curley, J. Iverson, C. Wirgler, J. Kerr, J. Nussbaum, H. Engleschirchen, J. Nelson, J. Lemmon, J. Hughes, B. Gifford, B. McCarron. THIRD ROW: G. Whitten, C. Lemmon, R. Harris, R. Plaskett, J. Webb, M. McClod, M. Laisne, B. Parker, T. Peterson, J. Ireland, P. Hall, T. Wisnom, D. Hamilton, B. Hamilton, D. Linck, S. Garrett.

The Frosh-Soph football team, under the capable leadership of Mr. Mills and Mr. Larson, ended the season with a record similar to last year's. The men of the gridiron finished up the season with a record of three wins, three losses, and one tie.

The Frosh-Soph had a little trouble acquiring their first win in the PAL competition. The game with Sequoia ended 20-6 in favor of Sequoia, Bud Hamilton making the only touchdown. The second chance for a victory came against South San Francisco but ended in a 13 to 13 draw. The Bearkittens were sorely outclassed by Menlo-Atherton in the next gridiron tilt. The score went in the record book as a shut-out, 18-0. Now it was time for a win and the Mateans came through with a 27-7 victory over the Indians of Jefferson. The victory was sparked by the passing of Barry McCarron and the running of Bud Hamilton and Garland Mankins. The team began to roll and spirit was lifted as the Bearcats downed Capuchino 27-13. Standouts were Jim Hughes and Jim Kerr on defense, and Dave Hamilton on offense. The Bearcats then traveled down to Palo Alto only to be beaten 20-7. However, the season ended a success the next week as the Baby Bearcats trounced archrival Burlingame 20-0 in the prelude to the Turkey Day Classic.

Head Coach
MR. MILLS

Assistant Coach
MR. LARSON

Our Frosh-Soph is great

FOOTBALL

D. DUMKE

FROSH-SOPH SCORES

San Mateo	6	San Mateo	27
Sequoia	20	Jefferson	7
San Mateo	13	San Mateo	27
South San Francisco	13	Capuchino	13
San Mateo	0	San Mateo	7
Menlo-Atherton	18	Palo Alto	20
San Mateo	20		
Burlingame	0		

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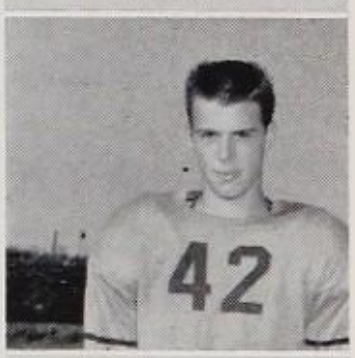

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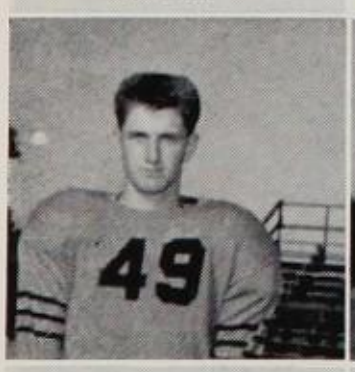

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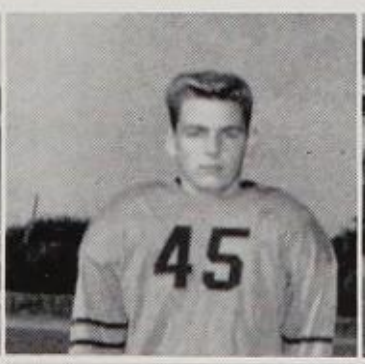

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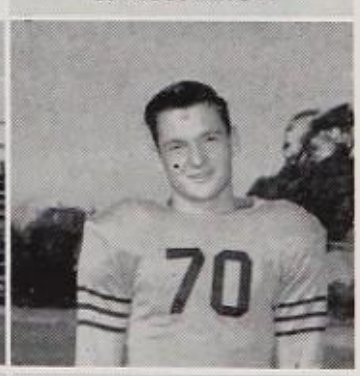
W. FUJITO



B. GIFFORD

as they train for the future

Lightweights, 30's, and Varsity

FIRST ROW, left to right: D. Carlson, R. Parsons, C. Pisani, L. Rinard, A. Holmes, J. Kless, J. Basket. SECOND ROW: Mr. Robinson, D. Baer, L. Behrmann, D. Haylock, K. Huyck, C. Scholz, J. Linden.

110's BASKETBALL

The Tens followed closely the wins and losses of the Twenties with one big exception. This was their big upset over Capuchino on Parsons' free throw. The boys stood victorious over Burlingame, Half Moon Bay, South San Francisco, and Carlmont. Some big guns on the Tens were: Bill Kless, Ronnie Parsons, Jack Baskett, and Chuck Scholz, elected All-PAL.

FIRST ROW, left to right: M. Furuya, P. Lehman, J. Tatsukawa, B. Chan, V. Goodrich, B. Borland, J. Giovanetti, D. Duckhorn. SECOND ROW: Mr. Robinson, G. Lee, A. Kamrar, A. Bevilockway, V. Binsacca, T. Whitehurst, J. Lynn, L. Pisani, Mgr.

120's BASKETBALL

The San Mateo Twenties, coached by Mr. Frank Robinson, have done fairly well for themselves throughout the season. The team stood victorious over Carlmont, South San Francisco, and Burlingame on their first try. Some standouts of the team were: Vic Binsacca, elected All-PAL; Vern Goodrich, Danny Duckhorn, Alan Kamrar, and Dave Carlson.

VARSITY AND 30'S BASKETBALL

Always looking like a team that would really go places, Coach Ed Burda's varsity hoopsters never quite realized their potential, finishing in a third place tie with arch-rival Burlingame. They had seven wins and five losses. At season's start, hopes of a title were high around the SM campus. Bucky Kahler, last year's leading varsity pointmaker, was back. The varsity had the cream of the crop reaped from a strong thirties team of last year. These included all-league choice Dick Schumacher, Bob Freschi, Ron Uhland, Jack Finney, Bob Stewart and Gordy Lewis. Also out for basketball was Hap Stallman, a transfer from Lincoln High of San Jose. Hap was all PAL in 30's the year before. Things really looked great. After a successful practice season, which saw wins over cross-town rival Serra, Marin Catholic and a strong Modesto outfit, San Mateo was definitely a strong contender for the coveted Northern Division toga.

The 'Cats started the season on a sour note. They traveled to Daly City to engage the strong Jefferson Indians, who were the title favorites. SM was clobbered, 61-47, as the Jeffs just couldn't seem to miss. As was to be the case throughout most of the season, the 'Cats were paced by Kahler and Schumacher. This loss was more or less expected by the Bearcats, but the next loss to Capuchino in the second league tiff certainly wasn't expected. The upstart Caps barely escaped, 35-33, in as thrilling a game as one could desire. Schumacher again looked good in this one, ably assisted by Lewis, who shone on defense and rebounding work. SM then took three successive wins over South San Francisco, Carlmont, and Half Moon Bay.

First round play was terminated happily when the Bearcats beat hated Burlingame, 51-46. This game saw the resumption of the newly instilled "Beat Burlingame" spirit brought in by the football season. Kahler really went wild in this one, chalking up 23 points. Top performances were also turned in by Lewis and Ray Aliamus. The 'Cats were now in third place, behind Capuchino and Jefferson.

The 'Cats opened second round play in the same way they started the first—with a loss to Jeff. This one was a bit different, however, as the Indians really had a battle before finally triumphing, 53-48. Tremendous shooting by the torrid trio of Kahler, Schumacher and Lewis kept SM even up to the 47-47 point but then the set shots of Indian Tom Costello pulled the game out of the fire for Jeff. It was really a heart-breaker to lose and it quelled just about any hope for a Bearcat title. The next game, which saw Capuchino win by a score of 38-35, definitely eliminated the 'Cats from anything but a spoiler's role. Schumacher and Stallman were standouts. SM then took wins from Half Moon Bay, Carlmont and South San Francisco again. They went into the season's finale with Burlingame optimistically looking for an undisputed third place finish. Again, the SM faithful were doomed to disappointment, as a fighting Blingum outfit came out on top by a score of 44-40, despite some deadly clutch shooting by Stallman.

The season was capped by the naming of Kahler to the all-Northern Division team. The high-scoring junior really had a great year, totaling over 200 points. It was a good season, with a lot of close losses which, with a difference of a few points here and there, could have made a big change in the final standings. There was a big emphasis on next year's team, with the predominance of juniors and sophomores. Of this year's top ten players, Burda will lose only three.

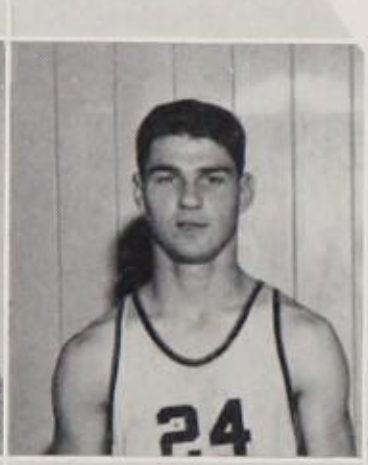
Coach Blaine Lemmon's thirties had a very rough league season, winning only one of twelve. The lone win came over Half Moon Bay. The team was paced by Ray Wagner, Paul Zocchi, Kent Ikeda and Don Linck. Again, however, most of the losses were by very close margins.

They Fought Hard In The

Fast Moving, Breathless

MR. BURDA
Varsity Coach

MR. LEMMON
130's Coach



BUCKY KAHLER

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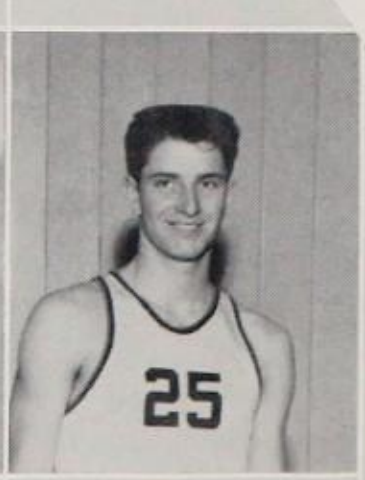

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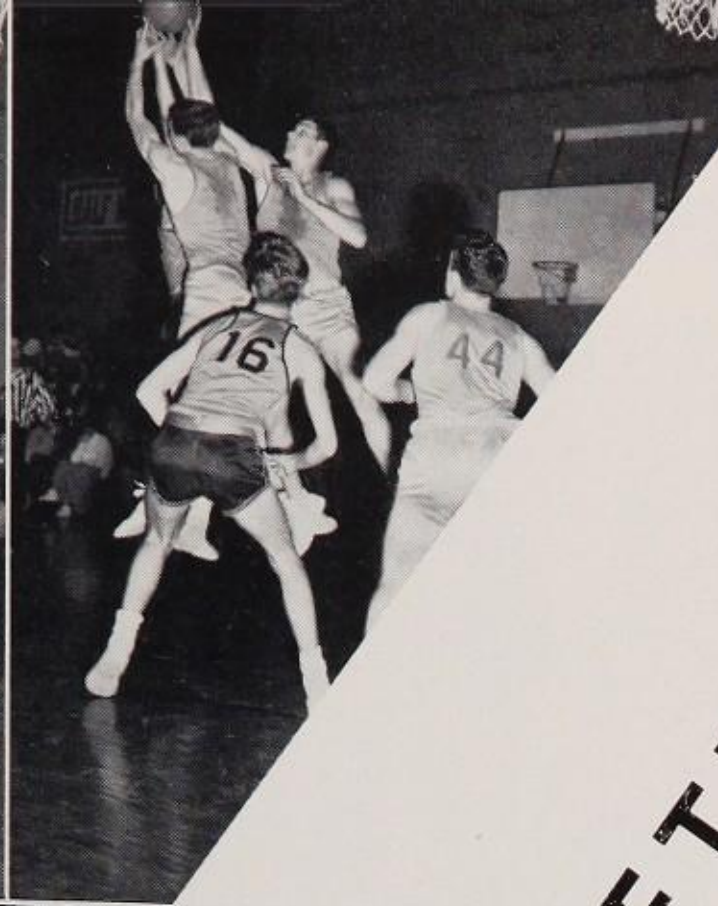
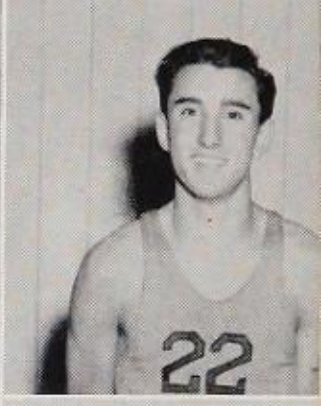


30's BASKETBALL

Game of Basketball

KENT IKEDA

BOB FOLEY



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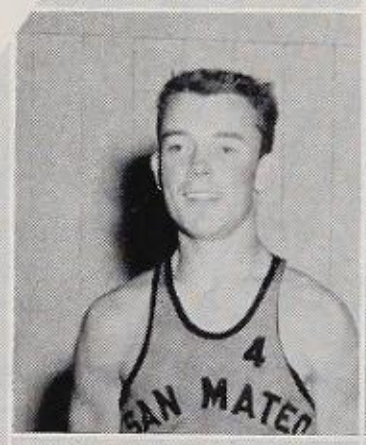

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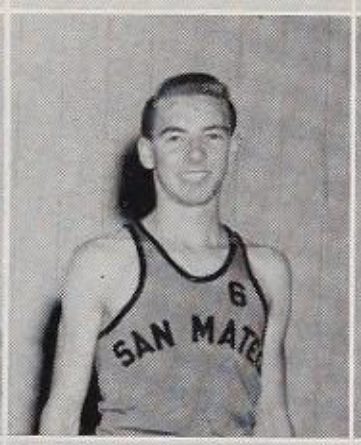

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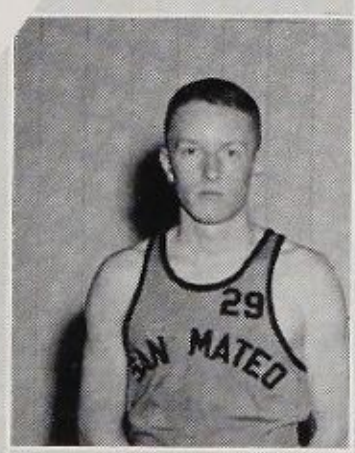

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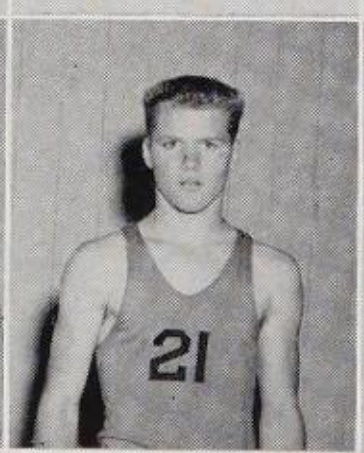

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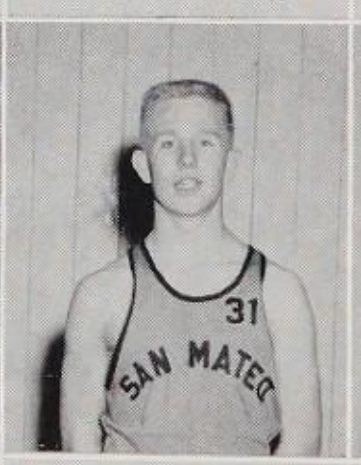

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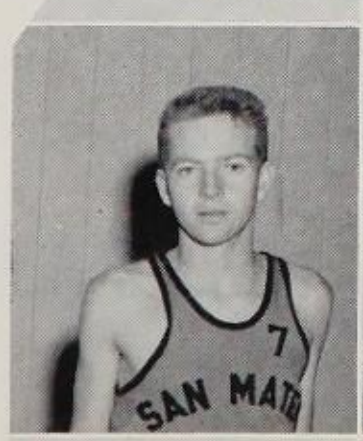

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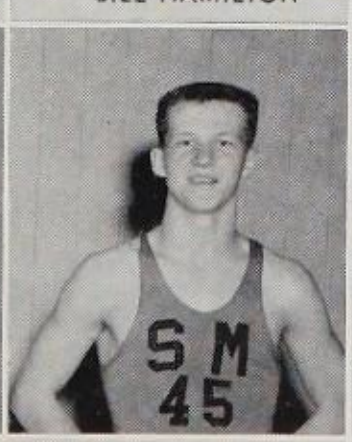

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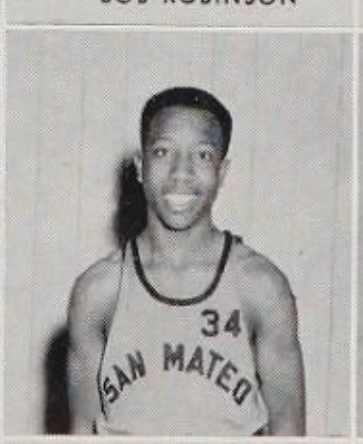

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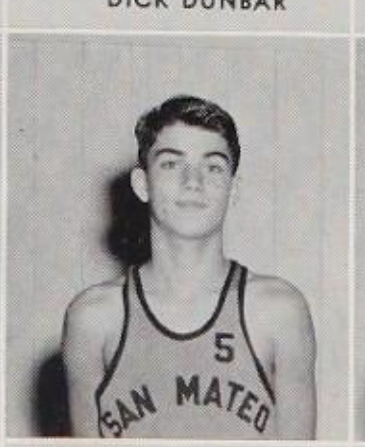

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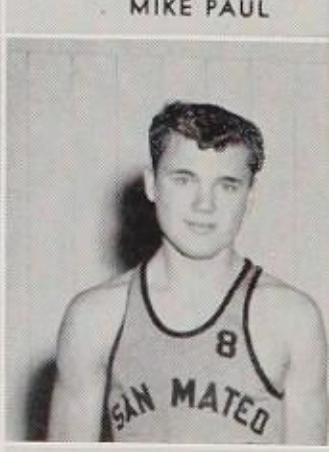


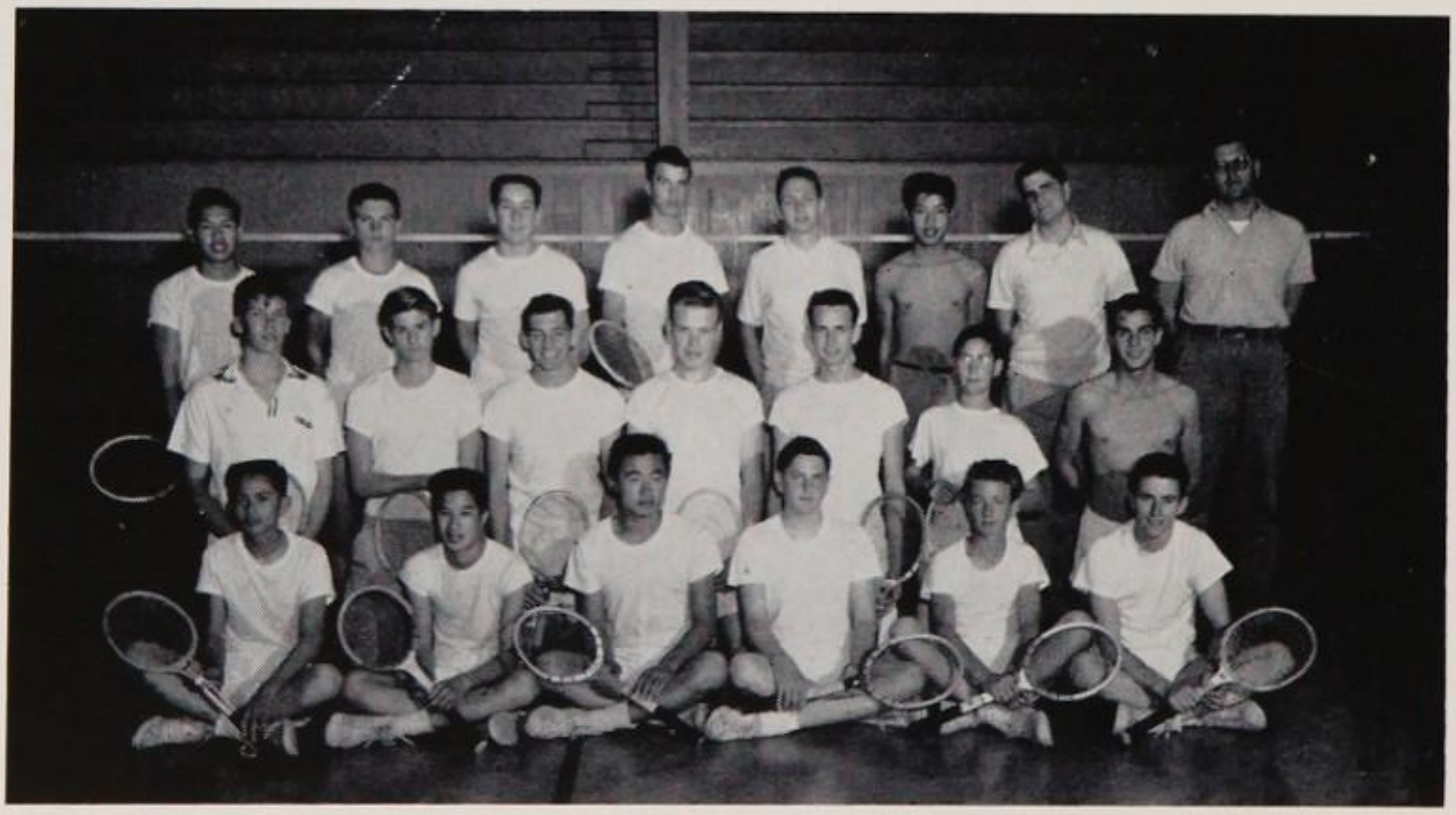
PAUL ZOCCHI

GOLF TEAM

FIRST ROW, left to right: W. Juchert, D. Cassels, B. Bochman. SECOND ROW: V. Binsacca, B. Brick, Mr. Collin, Coach.

San Mateo scored its first victory, so far this year, against cross-town rival Serra High School. At this writing Gary Harman was the 'Cats number one man with Bill Bochman, Bob Stewart, Bill Cooney, Bruce Bochman and Don Sisson supplying strong support.

TENNIS TEAM



FIRST ROW, left to right: G. Lee, M. Fung, B. Ja, G. Power, A. Lanka, D. Perry. SECOND ROW: J. Marshall, T. Waller, M. Ruderman, P. Toomasson, W. Gutzwiller, F. Cattucci, B. Tupper. THIRD ROW: E. Cheung, M. Greeney, B. Friedman, R. Uhland, P. Sheffield, B. Lee, J. McKenna, Mr. Robinson, Coach.

Coach Frank Robinson's netters have produced, with tremendous team effort, a record of 8 wins, 1 loss, and 1 tie. Alan Lanka holds down number one position with George Powers second, Bob Ja third, and Milton Fung tied with Gary Lee for fourth.

In Spring, A Young S. M. H. S.

VARSITY BASEBALL

FIRST ROW, left to right: E. Eskilson, B. Hardy, J. Seith, R. Wagner, S. Moriki, R. Simmons. SECOND ROW: D. Rautmann, S. Kompst, B. Barraclough, B. Freschi, R. Aliamus, H. Stallman. THIRD ROW: Mr. Lacy, Coach; E. Weitzel, G. Meyer, B. Kahler, G. Hoffman, B. Nichol, J. McCarron, H. Messick.

Coach Dan Lacy appeared to have a strong team, one that was conceded the role of team to beat for the coveted PAL toga by league coaches and local sportswriters. They had a good practice season, recording impressive wins over such teams as Lowell, Mission, Menlo-Atherton, and Sacred Heart. Close losses were received from Poly, Lincoln and Balboa.

The Mateans, laden with veterans returning from last year's strong outfit plus the cream of a good frosh-soph team, really looked like a solid combination. Lacy's sound coaching had molded them into a top-notch unit by this writing.

The backbone of this year's team was centered around Harry Messick, who doubled as a first sacker and a pitcher. He was a strong hitter as well as a strikeout artist on the mound. He appeared headed for a great year and looked like the Peninsula's outstanding horsehider. Also supplying solid batting punch were burly third-sacker Stan Kompst and shortstop Dick Rautmann. These two seniors really could sock the apple besides shining afield. Slick-fielding Bob Freschi, up from the frosh, held down the keystone position, and Eddie Eskilson, another frosh graduate, shared first base duties with Messick. Ray Wagner was invaluable as a utility infielder, along with Bruce Kemper.

In the outfield, Bill Barraclough, another frosh veteran, impressed many with his booming bat and his rifle arm from the centerfield spot. Bucky Kahler also looked good as a gardener and Bill Hardy shone until he was eliminated by a broken leg. Gordy Lewis was the regular right fielder, besides turning in an occasional chucking chore. Another pasture patroller was transfer Hap Stallman. Behind the plate, Lacy could depend on returnees Jim Seith and Gerry Meyer, plus another frosh graduate, Ronnie Simmons. Pitchers beside Messick included Joe McCarron, Shig Moriki, Ed Weitzel, and Lewis.

It really looks like a great team, one that can hold its own with any of its rivals.

Man's Fancy Turns To Thoughts Of

B. BARRCLOUGH

B. HARDY

B. KAHLER

B. FRESCHI

D. RAUTMANN

S. KOMPST

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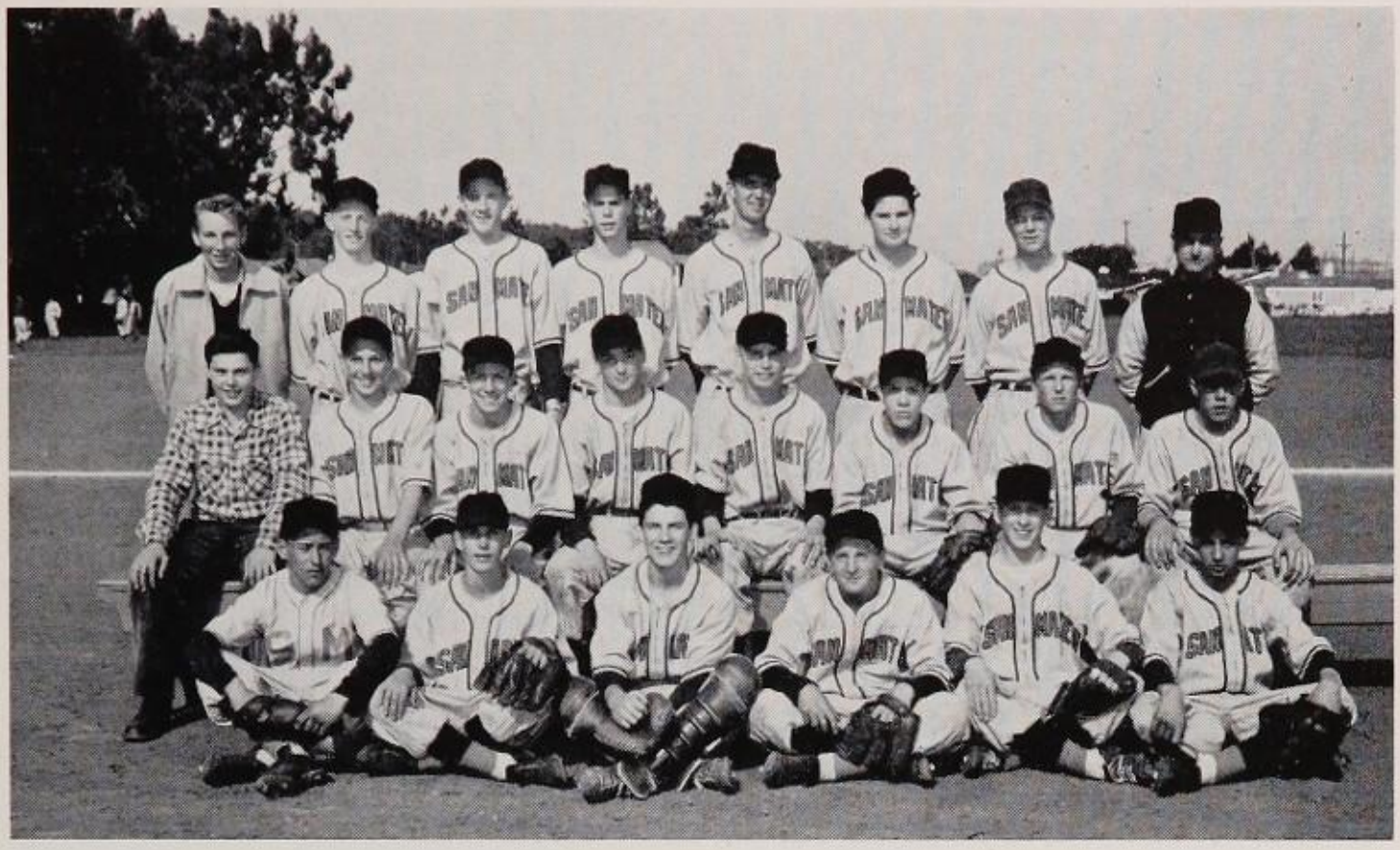
FROSH-SOPH BASEBALL



FIRST ROW, left to right: D. Miller, D. Baer, L. Thomas, G. McKenna, J. Webb, D. Carlson. SECOND ROW: D. Lasalle, R. Long, D. Cory, B. Gifford, J. Hollister, S. Martin, R. Christmas, J. Hungerford. THIRD ROW: D. Wyn, H. Harrington, B. Munson, B. McCarron, J. Finney, B. Dunne, H. Engleschirchen, Coach H. Fearon.

Off to a flying start with an impressive early season record, the frosh-soph, at this writing, appeared headed for great things. The junior horsehiders, under the leadership of Coach Harold Fearon, boasted a 5-3 record after three weeks of competition. In their first three games of the season, the Bearkittens rolled up an amazing 44 runs while holding their opponents to 3. These scores were 18-0 over Burlingame, 11-2 over Jefferson, and 15-1 over South City. The losses were to a strong Balboa junior varsity, Sacred Heart junior varsity, and to Jefferson in a return contest. They then picked up a win over the Mission JV's and another triumph over hapless Blingum.

With these high scoring games behind them, the 'Cats opened their PAL season by barely squeezing by Sequoia, 2-1. Reg Christmas starred by striking out ten and allowing only three hits. Ensuing PAL wins were over South City by a count of 13-2, and defending co-champion Menlo-Atherton by the fantastic score of 25-2 as the booming 'Cat bats roared for 17 hits. Non-league wins came over Lick Wilmerding, which saw chucker Jack Finney fan 10 batters in 6 innings, and O'Connell. A PAL championship appeared to be in the offing because of their fine record to date.

In all these early season games, the junior Bearcats showed tremendous pitching strength. This was spearheaded by fireballing Christmas, Finney and Barry McCarron. Providing the big bats were first sacker Jim Hollister, Bart Dunne, and Howard Harrington, who doubled as an outfielder and an utility infielder. Capable outfielders included Bob Gifford, McCarron when he wasn't pitching, Don Miller, Bob Munson, and Sam Martin. Handy men around the infield were Danny Baer, Gary McKenna, and Howard Engleschirchen. Donning the mask and pads for Fearon were Jim Hungerford and Larry Thomas.

With such a sparkling start, the Junior Bearcats appeared headed for a possible championship. Prospects were also great for next year, with many freshmen in this year's lineup.

Full Of Action And Excitement,

TRACK TEAM

Again, fielding a great team, Coach Larry Culver's thinclads have annexed the PAL Relays, the first two dual meets against Capuchino and Carlmont, and had placed fourth in the El Cerrito Relays, which takes in teams from all over the Bay area. The varsity looked like the team to beat for the PAL title, which they took for the first time just last year. The thirties and twenties also looked good, though lacking the strength of last year.

The 'Cats opened their season by winning the PAL Relays. They garnered 29 points as compared to second place Jefferson's 21. The team looked especially good in the varsity events, taking three firsts, a third, and a fifth out of the six events. Wins were recorded in the 480-yard low hurdle shuttle relay, the 440-yard sprint relay, and the mile relay.

San Mateo then followed this up with a three-division sweep over arch-rival Capuchino. The Varsity's 87-26 triumph was featured by a tremendous :22.2 220-yard run by Floyd Arterburn. The following week another sweep was recorded, this time over Carlmont. Flyin' Floyd even bettered his previous mark, rambling to a :22 flat.

Just before this writing, Matean spikes had competed in the El Cerrito Relays. The thirties were competing with some of the best talent seen in that division in a long time. The Varsity, however, made perhaps the best showing that a San Mateo team has ever made at El Cerrito. They tied for fourth, with a total of 15 points. Gino Della Libera took first place in the shot-put with a record heave of 55 feet 6 inches. Teammate Allan Bergstedt followed him in third place and took a fifth in the discus. The low hurdle and mile teams took thirds in their events.

Arterburn, along with Gordon Tinker and Jim Chow, gave San Mateo a trio hard to beat in the sprints. Floyd ran everything from the 100 to the 880. Tinker and Chow competed in both the 100 and 220. Other sprinters were Mickey Lax, Lepoleon McLemore, John Sutherlin, Larry Gifford, and Jim Gilkey.

Tinker and Dick Schumacher, along with tiny Dick Lee, completely dominated the hurdles. Tinker looked like one of the season's best in the low hurdles and Schumacher looked great in the highs.

In the weights it was Della Libera who made the most news. His success is a glowing tribute to the coaching genius of weight mentor Ray Allee, as this was Gino's first year out for track. Gino was followed closely by Bergstedt. Other weight men were Ed Fernandez, Lou Janakos, and Roy Gustafson.

The Bearcats were stronger than ever in the distances. Boys who could run either the 880 or the mile well were Dick Dunbar, Bruce Streight, Paul Toft, Kris Kristofferson, and Larry Lack.

In the rest of the field events, it was: Larry Hunt and Don Linck in the pole vault; Hunt and Schumacher looking good in the high jump, and Sutherlin and McLemore both going over 20 feet in the broad jump.

The thirties looked good as the season began, though lacking the strength of seasons past. In the sprints they had Bill Hamilton, Pete Booth, John Hayes, and Kent Ikeda. Hayes also ran the 330 and Ikeda ran the hurdles and broad jumped. Gary Chilton looked like one of the league's outstanding performers. He ran everything from the 75-yard dash to the 660, specializing in the 330 and the 660. Kile was strong in the hurdles and the pole vault and Mead ran the 1320. Other standouts were Pat Curley in the shot and discus and Art Heming in the high jump and the broad jump.

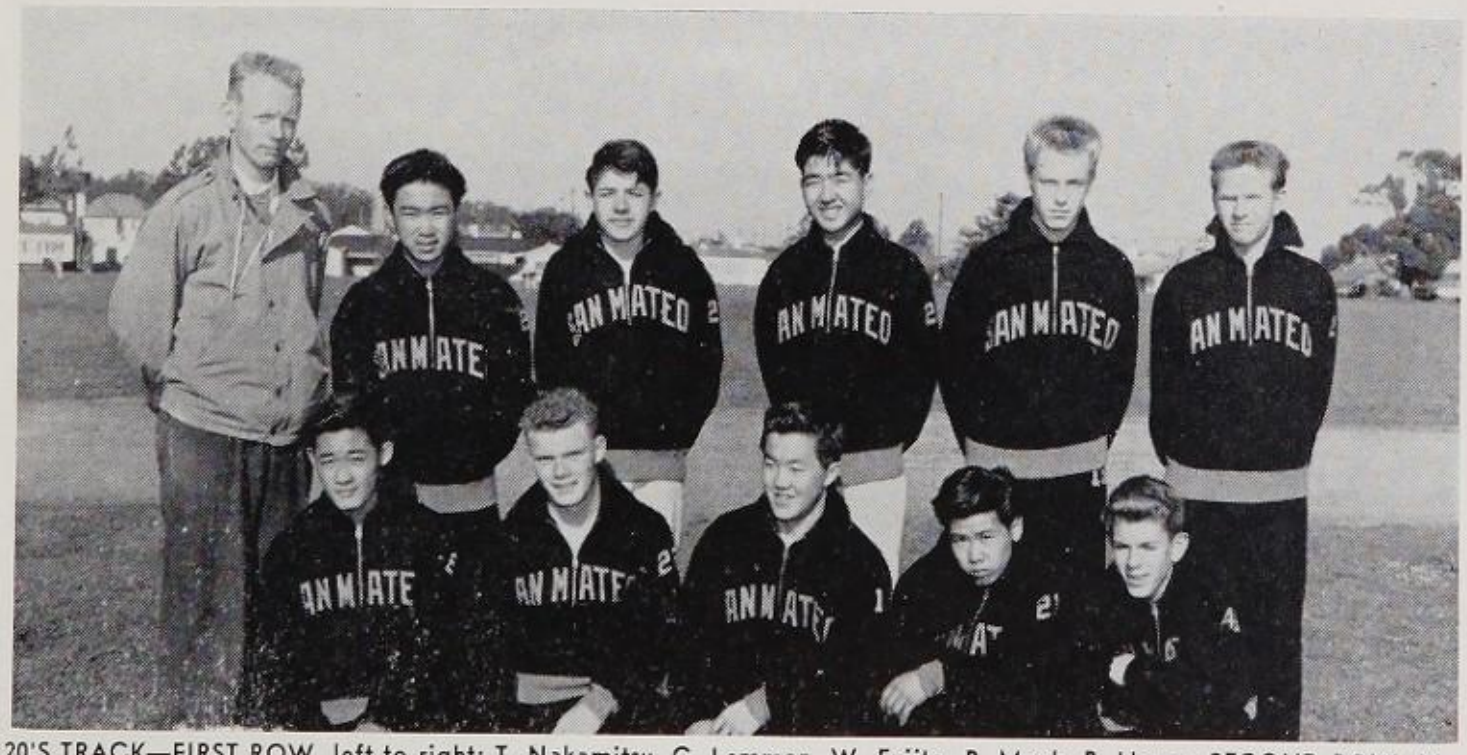
In Curt Lemmon, the 'Cat twenties had perhaps the league's top man. He was a consistent winner in the 150, 330, and the high jump, owning season bests in these events. Terry Nakamitsu looked strong in the hurdles and sprints.

All in all, it looked like another great year for San Mateo spikes.

And Track - Where An Inch

VARSITY TRACK—FIRST ROW, left to right: L. Hunt, B. Robinson, B. Streight, F. Brooks, J. Gilkey, J. Ray, D. Lee, G. Della Libera, L. Janakos. SECOND ROW: G. Tinker, C. Lax, L. Gifford, R. Dunbar, P. Toft, J. Cavin, D. Woolf, D. Hamilton, A. Bergstedt, F. Van Stralen. THIRD ROW: Mr. Culver, Head Coach; B. Corruccini, L. Lack, J. Chow, F. Arterburn, J. Sutherlin, W. Danielson, D. Schumacher, S. Garrett, R. Gustafson, E. Fernandez, B. Creeks.

30'S TRACK—FIRST ROW, left to right: B. Hamilton, D. Bortolin, G. Chilton, P. Booth, B. Kile, P. Curley, J. Lynn, J. Hayes. SECOND ROW: Mr. Smith, Coach; P. Skaife, R. Gallup, B. Swain, M. Paul, H. Karr, T. Wisnom, R. Pas, B. Mead, L. Grinnell.



20'S TRACK—FIRST ROW, left to right: T. Nakamitsu, C. Lemmon, W. Fujito, B. Mock, B. Hayes. SECOND ROW: Mr. Larson, Coach; M. Taga, B. Wingett, A. Lacsamana, P. Foster, T. Duffy.

Can Mean A Mile

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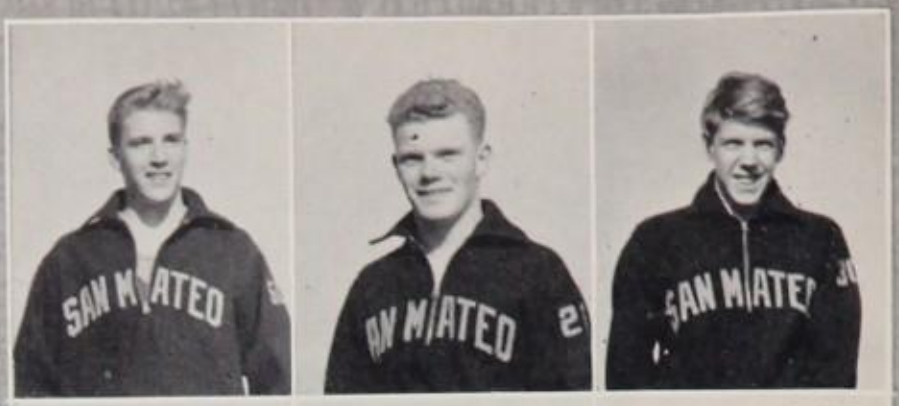

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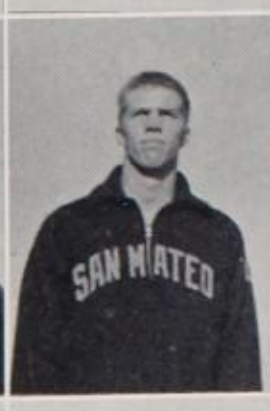

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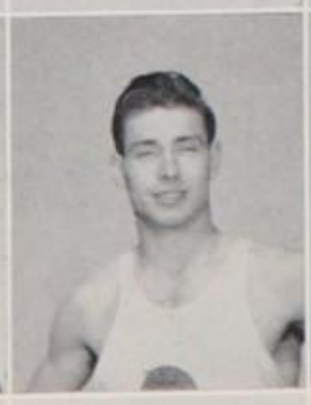

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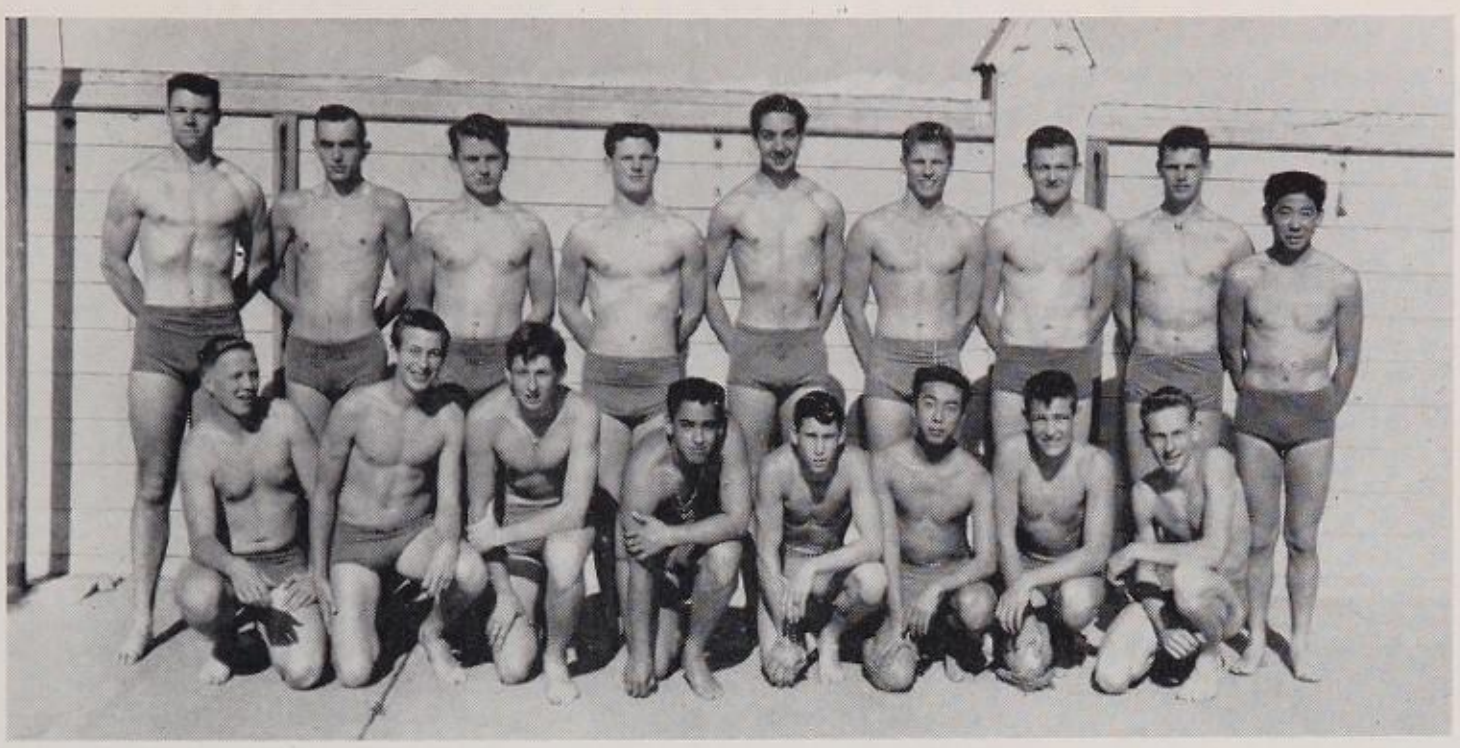
SWIMMING TEAM



VARSITY SWIMMING TEAM—FIRST ROW, left to right: D. Kennelly, T. Judson, M. Whiteside, H. Shanzer, D. Loughran, M. Yama, D. Jacobsen, E. Mausser. SECOND ROW: W. Downer, J. Squires, S. Danielson, B. Gilchrist, G. Ashby, G. Lee, L. Hansen, D. Creighton, A. Takahashi.

Coach
MR. L. A. WALKER

Coach Lloyd A. Walker swimming team for 1954 began the season with a poor showing against a superb Bellarmine team in a practice meet. The contest proved to be a sorry defeat for San Mateo as they were outscored in all events.

However, a strong team competing in its own class cannot be held down as was shown by the triumph over Jefferson. Walker's mermen continued with a win over Lincoln for a 2-0 PAL won-lost record up to the time of this writing. The team had a tremendous opportunity to wax arch-rival Sequoia this year, but due to complications all practice for a week along with the meet was cancelled. A win was forecast over Carlmont with a very doubtful triumph predicted over Burlingame.

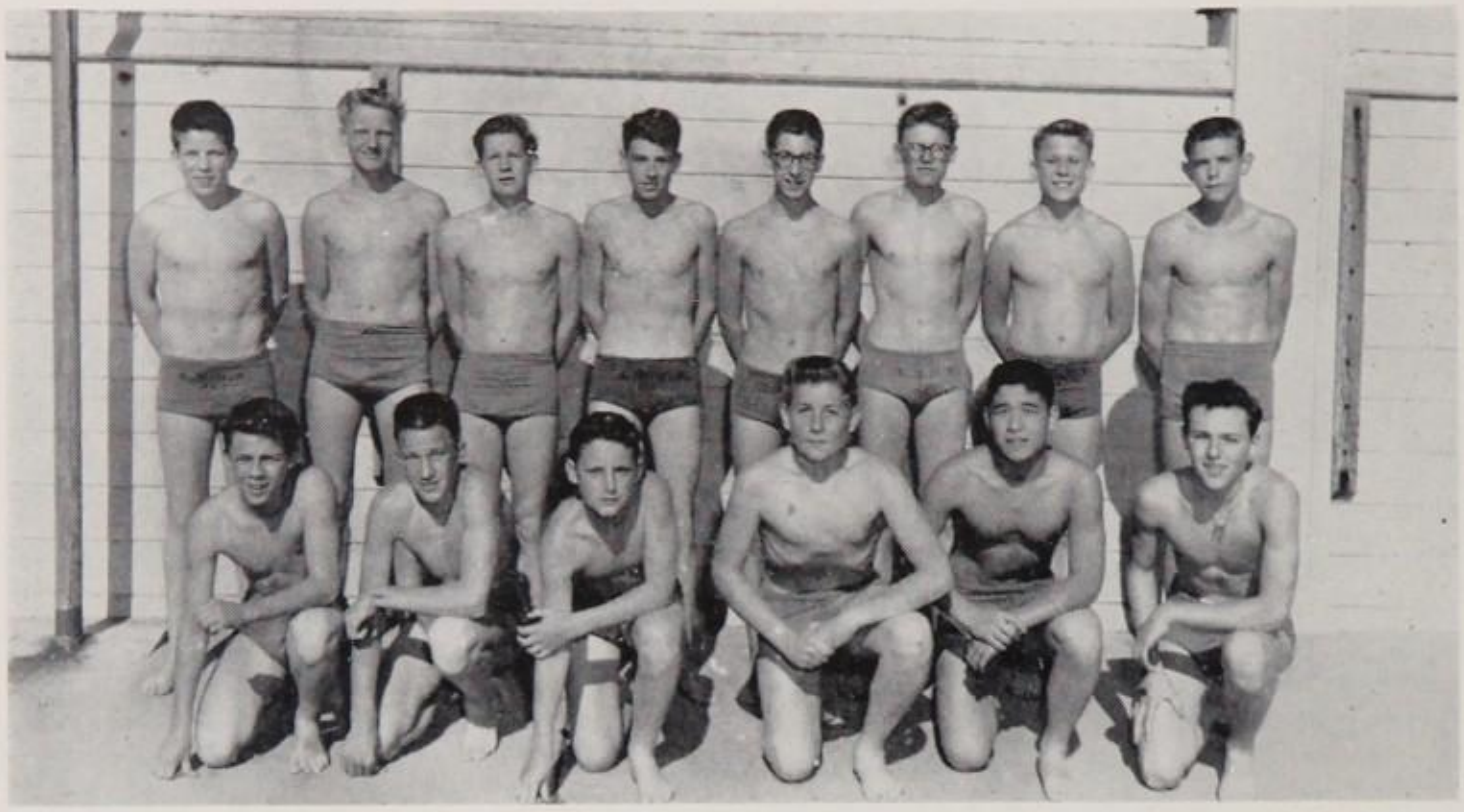
All told 60 men participated in this year's combined effort for a good showing.

30'S SWIMMING TEAM—FIRST ROW, left to right: D. Schramm, B. Gillanders, F. Kretz, D. Dreyfuss, B. Clark, T. Elfing. SECOND ROW: J. Nussbaum, G. Reynolds, R. Siebecker, S. Morrison, G. Diehl, M. Godley, Manager.

And Swimming - They May Be All Wet

But They Plunge Into Their Work!

20'S SWIMMING TEAM



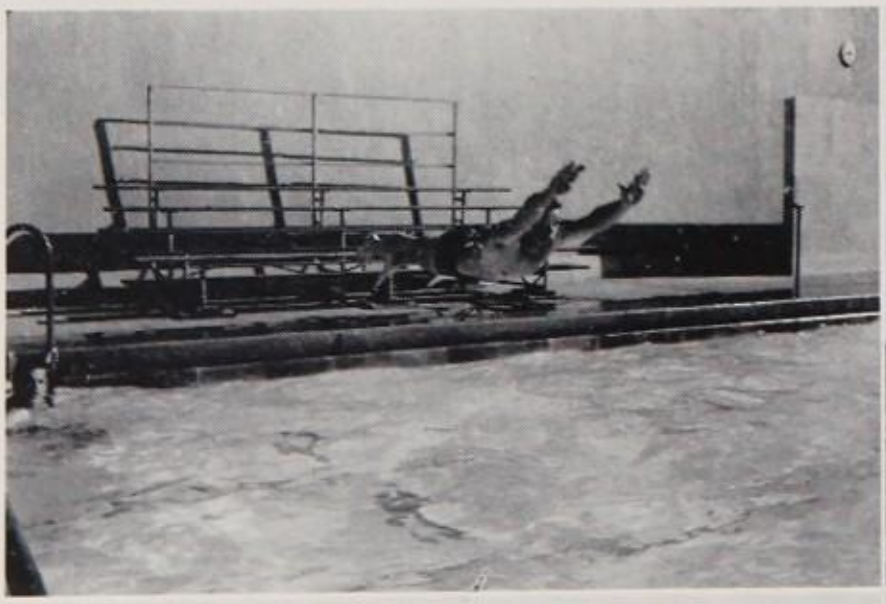
FIRST ROW, left to right: R. Coursion, D. Haylock, T. Cullinan, B. McAdams, B. Chan, D. Gilchrist. SECOND ROW: P. Thigpen, C. Engdahl, L. Behrman, D. Coxwell, B. Pisani, B. Shelby, G. Hepler, J. Valentine.

Winston Downer and Guy Lee were standouts in the varsity freestyle. Dave Creighton and Bob Gilchrist represented the 'Cats in the backstroke with Dean Loughran holding down the breast stroke.

Dave Kohnke doubled in free style and backstroke for the thirties. Other talent in the thirties lineup includes Dave Scramm and Hoffman with Byron Chan providing the diving skill.

Chan also swam the free style as a twenty. Other twenty standouts were Behrman in the backstroke and Jorgans in the free style.

Many men appear to have a wonderful opportunity to take places at the North Coast Section trials at Sequoia later on this year. All in all it looks like the mermen of San Mateo will have a very successful season.



—And Now They Can Wear Their Blocks With Pride

BLOCK S.M.

FIRST ROW, left to right: Jim Kerr, Kris Kristofferson, Dick Lee, Bob Nichol, Joe McCarron, Lefty Danielson, Jack Ray, Bob Robinson, Bob Farnam. SECOND ROW: Paul Meyers, Tom Edwards, Tom Wisnom, Dave Gansel, Bill Hamilton, Don Linck, Curt Lemmon, Wayne Fujito, Larry Gifford.

GIRLS' SPORTS

G.A.C.
FIRST ROW, left to right: E. Tonjuatco, L. Greve, B. Grinnell, M. Eastman, R. Lewis, M. Langsdorf. SECOND ROW: L. Shapro, C. Silva, P. Miravale, P. Naud, J. Cordes, M. Poage, B. Sanchez.

For the fall semester, Betsy Grinnell, as president, Caroline Silva as vice-president, and Linda Shapro as secretary assumed leadership of the Girls' Athletic Council, Janet Cordes became the spring semester president, with Margaret Langsdorf as vice-president, and again Linda Shapro as secretary.

The Girls' Athletic Council helped in formulating a sports program in which the regular six-week period allotted to each sport was stretched to eight weeks. As in past years, the G. A. C. sponsored the selling of pompons throughout the school.

During the fall semester the Girls' Block S.M. was led by Jean Zaccheo as president and Pat Naud as secretary. At this time, it was voted to substitute pins for the felt blocks which have formerly been awarded. This action broke a long-standing tradition.

Spring semester, Caroline Silva took over as president and Betsy Grinnell as secretary. Activities featured a sports night for all members, and an alumnae night. Stairway duties were, as usual, organized by the Girls' Block S.M.

GIRLS' BLOCK SM
FIRST ROW, left to right: L. Greve, B. Grinnell, M. Mitchell, M. Eastman, E. Mitchell. SECOND ROW: C. Caldwell P. Miravalle, P. Naud, J. Cordes, M. Poage.

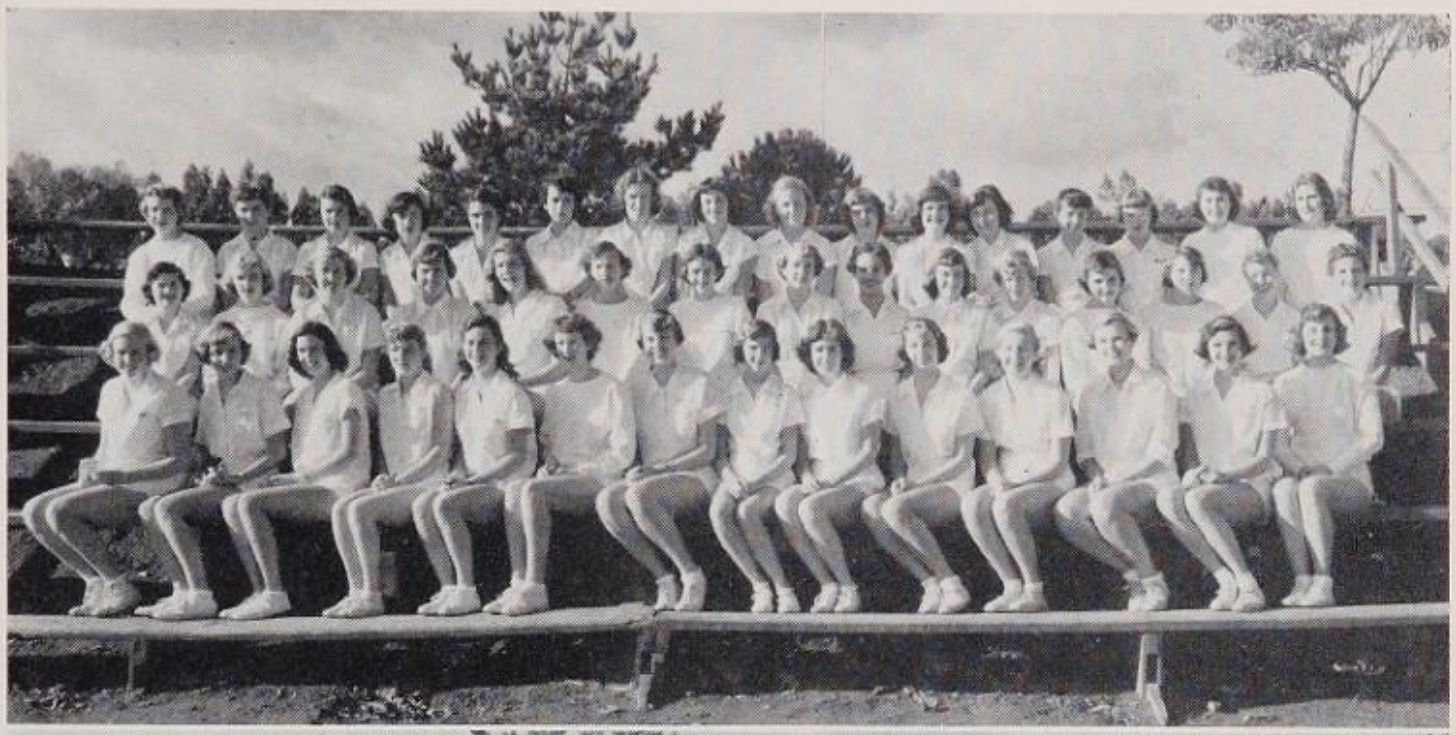
Girls Can Be

Good Sports, Too!

SWIMMING

Instead of competing for points for her team, each girl swam to build up her own personal point record. On this basis, the top ten became eligible to receive a special award. Mrs. Hasset coached the teams.

FIRST ROW, left to right: Katy Smith, Diane Root, Pat Miravalle, Gloria Pandell, Janice Peterson, Arlene Parma. SECOND ROW: Corrine Jang, D. Schmit, Claudia Cullen, Emma Marshall, LaDonna Danner, Donner Wilcox.



FIRST ROW, left to right: C. Caldwell, E. Carpenter, J. Webster, P. Gilmore, A. Chickozola, J. Kelso, L. Greve, S. Schmit, L. Lokken, S. Edwards, J. Darknell, B. Grinnell, R. Levin. SECOND ROW: J. Straus, Freeman, D. Degan, M. Poage, J. Cordes, B. Halstead, P. Worthington, K. Greve, R. Sutherlin, J. Ryal, N. Hislop, A. Ratto, J. Angier, L. Shapro, J. Heberling. THIRD ROW: L. Mumaugh, C. Grothe, S. Hoag, C. Brennan, F. Weston, G. Boden, M. Eastman, B. Sunblad, U. Karmann, L. Cass, B. Bredsteen, M. Clinton, C. Bruno, D. Varenzoff, M. Langsdorf, D. Marquis.

FIRST ROW, left to right: F. Tatsukawa, C. Silva, C. Bernett, M. Kvarme, C. Mills, F. LaCure, B. Sanchez, J. Zaccheo, D. Root, B. McInnis, P. Miravalle, F. Yamada. SECOND ROW: C. Burk, D. Wilcox, K. Smith, M. Di Stefano, C. Jang, E. Marshall, B. Hurd, R. Powers, G. Pandel, V. Turton, A. Parma. THIRD ROW: J. Brennan, J. Baker, M. Dowrell, J. Drake, T. Itayama, D. McMasters, P. Kaley, V. Carlson, J. Bradford, D. Dittnock, L. Donner.

FIRST ROW, left to right: Betsy Grinnell, Sandy Hoag, Pat Gilmore. SECOND ROW: Eilene Carpenter, Karen Greve, Janet Ryall, Jane Heberling, Ruth Sutherlin. THIRD ROW: Daena Degan, Martha Poage.

HOCKEY

Hockey was played only in the fall. There were several teams which competed, with Frances LaCure's team coming out on top. Mrs. Grannis acted as instructor to the team.

TENNIS WINNING TEAM, left to right: Pauline Ja, Pat Naud, Evelyn Tanjuatco.

TENNIS

With Mrs. Grannis as advisor, and Pat Naud as manager, the tennis squad had one of the most successful seasons in its short history. Using San Mateo Central Park courts as headquarters, a "round robin" tournament was carried on, with these three girls coming out on top.

TENNIS TEAM

FIRST ROW, left to right: Jeme Dauchet, Barbara Roveta, Carol Brennan, Emily Quock, Pauline Ja, Pat Naud, Karen Parkinson, Ruth Lewis, Louise Louis. SECOND ROW: Marveen Coburn, Joan Ellen Yates, Ritsuko Furuya, Evelyn Tanjuatco, Fujiko Sano, Ruth Archer, Pam Rymer, Ellen Mitchell, Kris Diller. THIRD ROW: Nancy Caldwell, Sue Eads, Konda Mussman, Marcia Mitchell, Freddy Kertz, Gloria Wong, Lucy Ikeda, Dorene Pomeroy, Carol Martin.

GIRLS' BASKETBALL TEAM

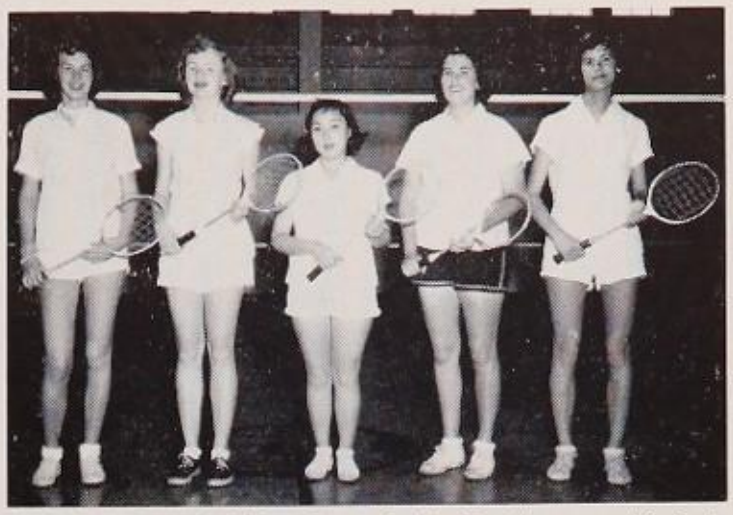
FIRST ROW, left to right: Emily Quock, Dorene Pomeroy, Carol Martin, Susan Eads, Caroline Caldwell, Eileen Carpenter, Janice Webster, Patty Gilmore, Arlene Chickazola, Margie Eastman, Pat Miravalle, Colva Bernett, Monica Kvarme, Carol Mills, Emma Marshal, Carol Russek, Beverly Baker, Donna McMasters, Virginia Turton. SECOND ROW: Florence Tatsukawa, Dianne Root, Ritsuko Furuya, Pauline Ja, Marveen Coburn, Jean Ellen Yates, Deana Degan, Martha Poage, Janet Cordes, Jean Kelso, Lily Greve, Silvia Schmidt, Liz Lokken, Betsy Grinnell, Linda Shapro, Roberta Levin, Ruth Louis, Bertha Sanchez, Pam Rymer. THIRD ROW: Lucy Ikeda, Gloria Hong, Pat Naud, Corrine Jang, Jo Ann Strauss, Sandy Hoag, Carol Brennan, Fran Weston, Gail Boden, Barbara Holstead, Pat Worthington, Karen Greve, Ruth Sutherlin, Janet Ryall, Nancy Hislop, Caroljean Bruno, Caroline Silva, Francis Yamada, Loise Lewis, Kris Diller. FOURTH ROW: Deanna Dittnock, Evelyn Tanjuatco, Fujiko Sano, Linda Mumaugh, Carol Grothe, Barbara Hurd, Ruth Peterson, Gloria Pandell, Arlene Parma, Tashiko Itayama, Betsy Sunblad, Ursula Karmann, Barbara Bredsteen, Jane Bradford, Vivian Carlson, Margaret Langsdorf, Diane Marquis, Karen Parkinson, Ruth Archer, Marcia Mitchell.

BASKETBALL WINNING TEAM—FIRST ROW, left to right: Karen Parkinson, Pauline Ja. SECOND ROW: Arlene Parma, Ann Porter, Pat Naud, Evelyn Tanjuatco.

BADMINTON

Karen Parkinson as captain did a very competent job of piloting her team to a 20-point victory in the finals. The team was made up of members of all four classes, and had a perfect record in games. Mrs. Hasset acted as coach.

They Proved This as



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GIRLS' SOFTBALL TEAM

FIRST ROW, left to right: G. Johnson. H. Guest, C. Mills, M. Kvarme, J. Webster, C. Burnett, R. Louis, E. Tanjuatco, E. Louis, J. Yates, L. Ross, P. Rymer, J. Colby, A. Thygmeyer. SECOND ROW: J. Bradford, B. Benidt, J. Barten, B. Hurd, G. Pandell, L. Louis, M. Mitchell, M. Coburn, S. Schmidt, J. Marsh, L. Mumaugh, C. Evans, R. Archer. THIRD ROW: A. O'Keefe, D. Wilcox, C. Burk, P. Naud, J. Cordes, A. Chickazola, S. Eads, E. Quock, P. Ja, D. Root, J. Ratto, M. Eastman, B. Sunblad, B. Halstead. FOURTH ROW: F. Yamada, T. Yoshimoto, J. Peterson, A. Parma, F. Tatsukawa, R. Furuya, R. Jackson, J. Brennen, M. Devero, D. Pomeroy, S. Hoag, C. Grothe, U. Karman. FIFTH ROW: F. Miravale, C. Silva, K. Parkinson, B. Sanchez, F. Sano, G. Wong, R. Sutherlin, C. Nelin, B. Bredsteen, M. Pomeroy, J. Brennan, V. Carlson.

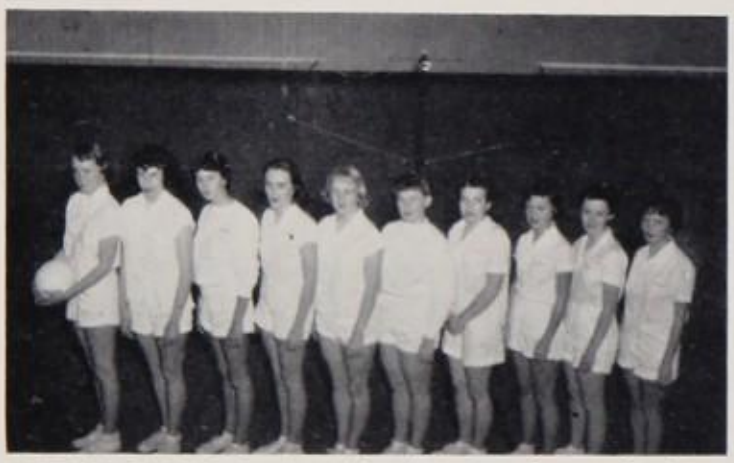
SOFTBALL

They Get Their Chance

In the After-school Sports Program

VOLLEYBALL

FIRST ROW, left to right: B. Grinnell, E. O'Keefe, D. Schramm, C. Mills, M. Kvarme, J. Webster, M. De Stefano, K. Smith, F. Kertz, J. Yates, G. Boden, S. Schmit, L. Ross, B. Levin. SECOND ROW: B. Hoffman, M. Clinton, J. Heberling, S. Edwards, C. Diller, J. Kelso, E. Mitchell, L. Greve, M. Mitchell, M. Coburn, E. Taniuatco, C. Burnett, M. Walker, M. Langsdorf. THIRD ROW: P. Gilmore, J. Bradford, D. Wilcox, C. Burk, P. Naud, M. Poage, J. Cordes, A. Chickazola, S. Eads, E. Quock, D. Marquis, J. Brenna, D. Root. FOURTH ROW: J. Angier, B. Halstead, D. Wilcox, C. Burke, B. Hurd, G. Pandell, L. Louis, E. Louis, L. Donner, D. Affalter, P. Ja, J. Strauss, N. Coleord. FIFTH ROW: J. Colby, R. Archer, P. Miravale, C. Silva, J. Peterson, A. Parma, F. Tatsukawa, R. Fururya, G. Wong, C. Nelson, G. Johnson, D. Pomeroy. SIXTH ROW: B. Benidt, P. Rymer, B. Roveta, K. Mussman, L. Shapro, K. Parkinson, B. Sanchez, F. Sano, C. Jang, R. Sutherlin, G. Freeman, B. Bredsteen, L. Mumaugh. SEVENTH ROW: R. Louis, M. Eastman, B. Sunblad, K. Greve, J. Ryal, N. Hislop, J. Drake, U. Karmann, L. Ikeda, D. Dittnock, J. Brennan, C. Bruno, J. Darknell, S. Hoag. EIGHTH ROW: A. Thygmeyer, C. Evans, D. McMasters, J. Baker, E. Marshall, R. Brown, V. Carlson, F. Weston, D. Joslin, A. Ratto, D. Degan, C. Grothe, B. McGinnis, M. Pomeroy.



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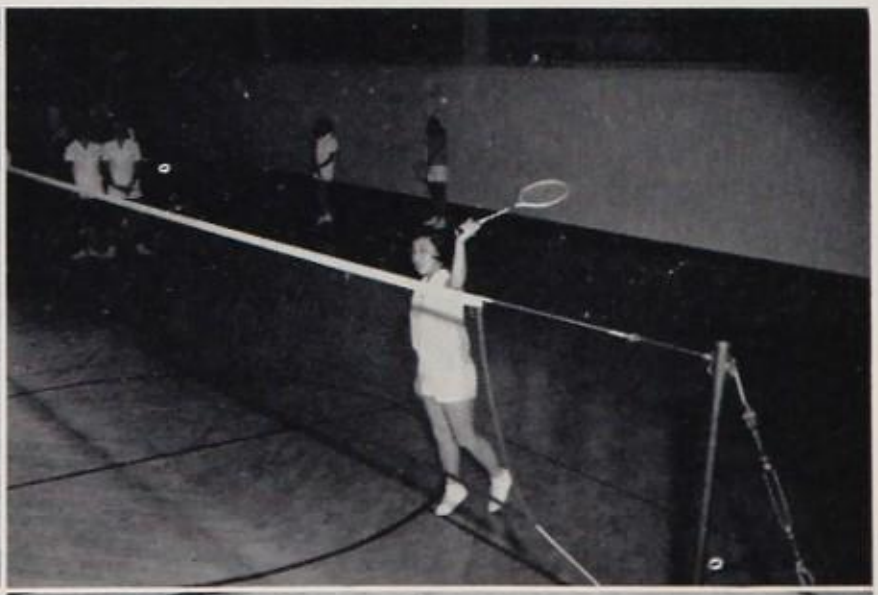

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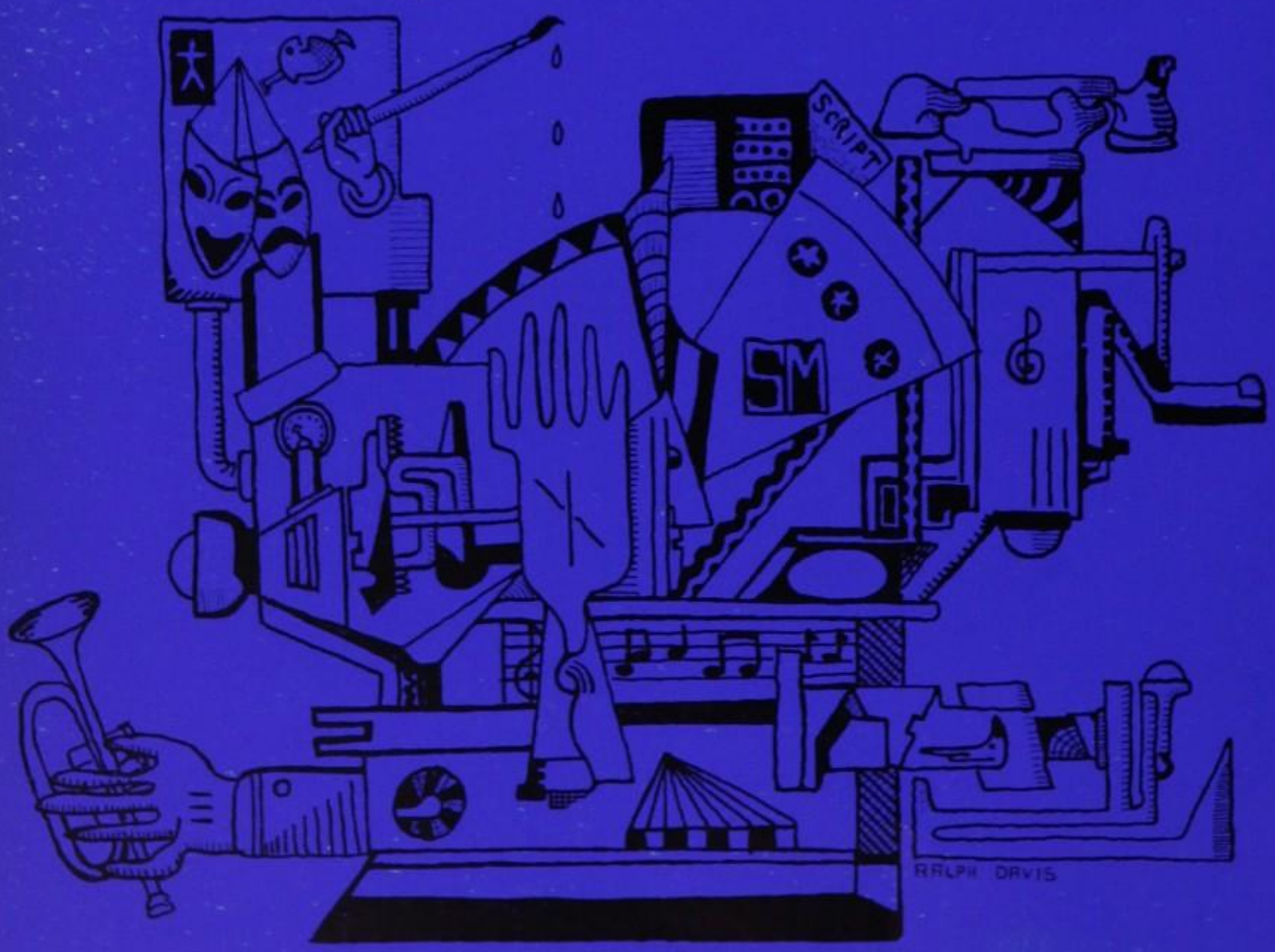
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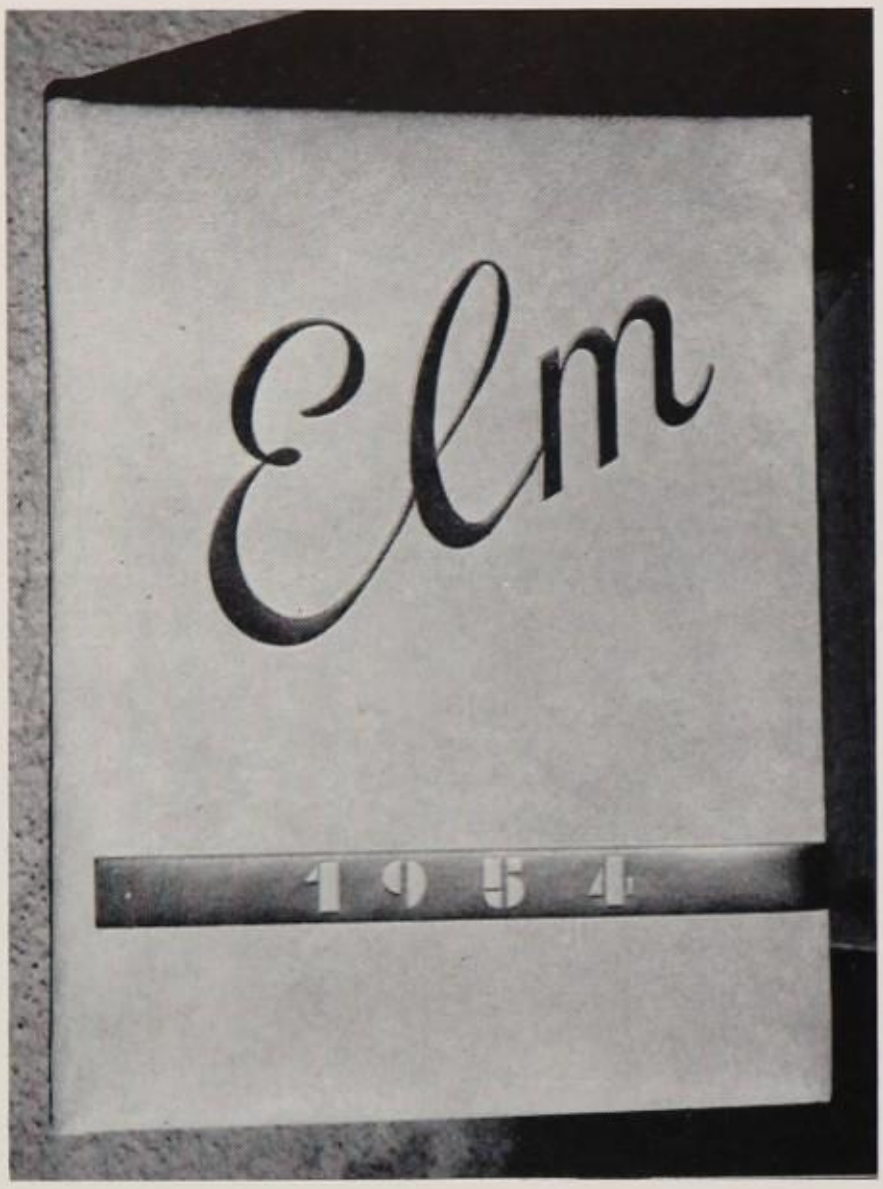

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ARCHER, RUTH—To be a recreation director and to go on to San Francisco State.

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AVERILL, JAMES RICHARD—"JIM." 1. Hi Staff, 2. Played in Jazz Band, 3. Senior Band—Judge of beauty contests.

BAILEY, CAROLYN—"CAROL." To become a doctor.

BAGLEY, RICHARD—"DICK."

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BARRIE, BRUCE—1. Boxing, 2. Ex Board, 3. A.B.S. Representative, 4. Four-Cylinder Club of America, 5. Twisters Auto Club—To take my MG to South America.

BEECHER, GLEN—1. A Cappella.

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BOYLE, ELISE

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BROOKS, FLOYD LANE—"RUSTY." 1. Basketball, 2. Baseball, 3. C.S.F.—Construction business.

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BURAZER, MARIE

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BURNSTEIN, GAYLE—1. Head Cheerleader Junior and Senior years, 2. Freshman Vice-President, 3. Frosh-Soph Yell Leader, 4. Rally Commissioner, 5. S.B. Vice-President—To see San Mateo beat Burlingame in 1953 . . . Ed.'s Note: Oh, happy day, we did!!!

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CALDWELL, NANCY ANNE—"NAN." 1. Rainbow Girls, 2. Pilgrim Fellowship, 3. School Choir, 4. Swimming Team—Switchboard operator.

CAMPBELL, GORDON—"GORDO." 1.Water Polo, 2.A.B.S. Representative—To be a can-can girl.

CARLSON, MARILYN—1. A.G.S. Representative, 2. French Club President, 3. Tri-Y, 4. Latin Club—College.

CARMICHAEL, WARREN—1. Track and Football Manager —Agricultural scientist.

CHAN, NATHAN BRENNAN—1. Student Council, 2. Latin Club, 3. French Club, 4. Frosh-Soph Manager, 5. Red Cross Representative—Your guess is as good as mine.

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COBURN, MARVEEN—"COBY." 1. After-School Sports—To be a good wife.

COLLINS, DIANE

CONDO, DOROTHY—"DOTTIE."

CONSTANT, JANET—"JAN." 1. Radio Production, 2. Tri-Y Officer, 3. A.G.S. Representative, 4. Spanish Club—Get in college.

COOK, DON—"SLIM." 1. A.B.S. Representative, 2. Ex Board.

COPELAND, LINDA—1. C.S.F., 2. Radio Production.

CRAFT, ALMA MARIE—"AL." 1. Tri-Y President, 2. Ex Board, 3. A.G.S. Representative—Student at U.C.L.A.—First to graduate.

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DAVIS, DONALD—"DON." 1. A.B.S. Representative, 2. Band—To be a mental genius.

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DAVIS, RALPH—1. Ex Board, 2. Junior Statesman, 3. Footlighters, 4. Co-op Commissioner—Lexicographer.

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DEVINCENZI, RON—"RED." 1. Football, 2. Baseball. 3. Block SM, 4. Junior Council—Sell teeth to pearl divers.

DEWEES, MICHAEL—"MIKE." 1. Dance Commission, 2. Ex Board, 3. Hi-Y—Girls' P.E. teacher.

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DUNLAP, RICHARD M.—1. Science Club—Astrophysicist.

DUNN, MARILYN ANN—1. Frosh-Soph Head Yell Leader, 2. Varsity Yell Leader, 3. Sophomore Vice-President, 4. Rally Commission, 5. Tennis—To find a man!

EBRIGHT, JUDITH—"JUDY." 1. Senior Council. Just recently transferred—College U.C.L.A.

ENGDAHL, BARBARA—"BARB." 1. Tri-Y, 2. Latin Club, 3. Radio Production, 4. Delegate to Y.M.C.A. Youth and Government—Get through college.

FARNAM, ROBERT M.—"BOB." 1. Block SM, 2. President of Saints Hi-Y, 3. Elm Editor, 4. Track, 5. C.S.F.—Aeronautical engineer.

FERNANDEZ, EDWARD—"FERNANDO." 1. Football, 2. Baseball, 3. Class President at Riordan—To be a chef and someday own a restaurant.

FIGARO, LOREN

FUJIKI, JOE—1. Latin Club, 2. French Club, 3. C.S.F., 4. Science Club—Artist.

GANSEL, DAVID—"DAVE." 1. Football, 2. Block SM, 3 Saints Hi-Y, 4. Junior Council—Ski instructor.

GARCIA, ANGELINA—"ANGIE." 1. A.G.S. Representative, 2. Ex Board—Go to University of Mexico.

GARDNER, DAVID MICHAEL—1. Radio Commissioner, 2. Student Council, 3. French Club, 4. Science Club—To be a little shorter.

GIFFORD, LAURENCE STANLEY—"GIFF." 1. Boys' Athletic Commissioner, 2. Elm Staff, 3. Track-Block SM, 4. C.S.F., 5. Science Club—Aeronautical engineer.

GILKEY, JAMES YOUNG—"JIM." 1. President of A.B.S., 2. Boys' Athletic Commissioner, 3. Football, 4. Track—Aeronautical engineer.

GILL, RICHARD—"DICK." 1. Frosh-Soph Football—Own a hot rod.

GILMORE, LAWRENCE FIELD—"LARRY." 1. Dance Commission, 2. Grounds Commission, 3. A.B.S. Representative, 4. Block SM—College.

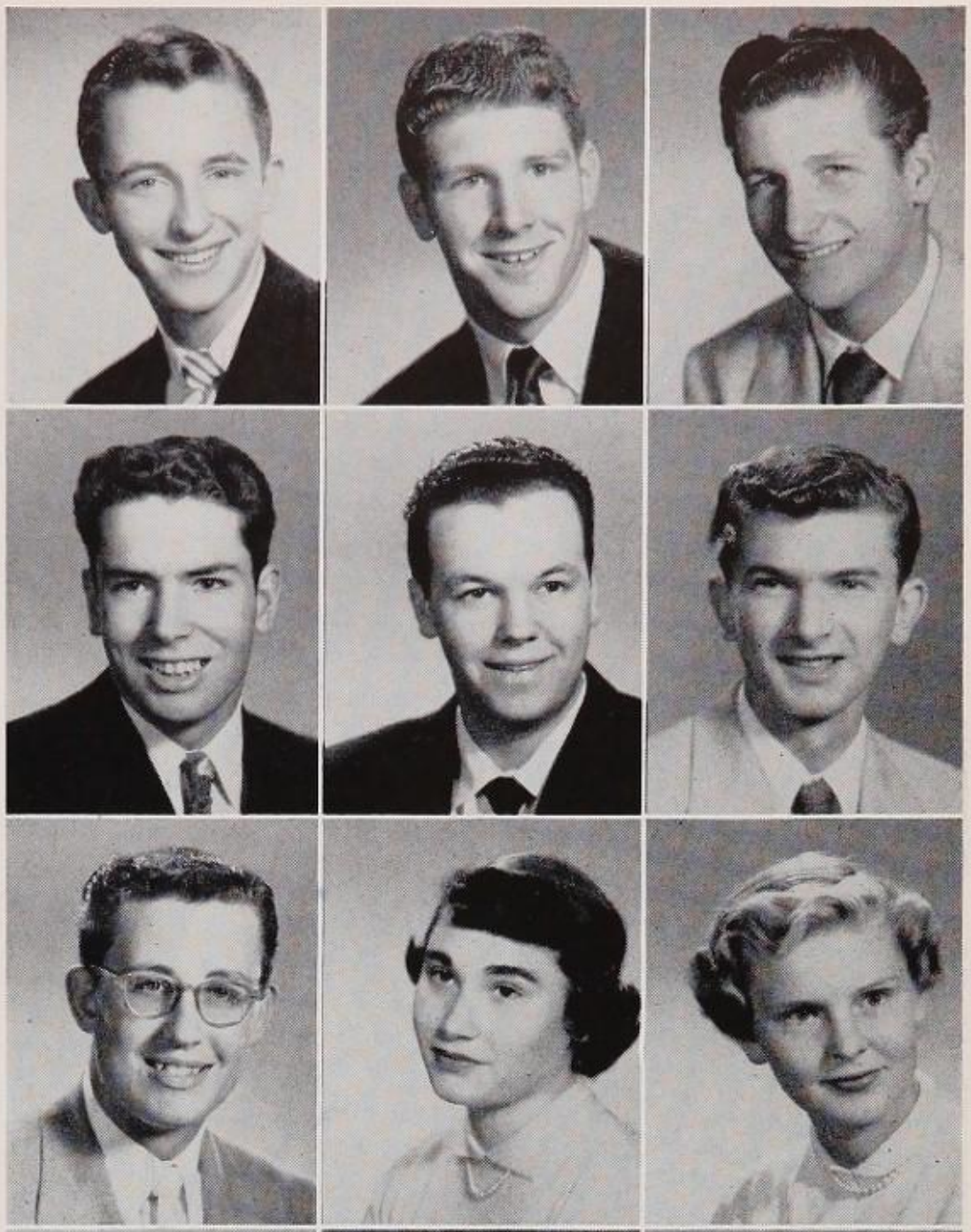
GIUSTI, DAVID—"DAVE." Gold digger.

GOFORTH, GARY—1. Art, 2. Ex Board—Billionaire.

GOODWIN, WILLIAM—"BILL." 1. A.B.S. Officer, 2. Student Council.

GRANT, RONNI JOYCE—1. Spanish Club, 2. Footlighters, 3. Tri-Y, 4. Ex Board, 5. Community Service Commission—University of California.

GRINNELL, ELIZABETH—"BETSY." 1. G.A.C. President, 2. Student Council, 3. A.G.S. Representative, 4. President of Latin Club, 5. Constitution Committee—Nursing.



GUSTAFSON, ROY MELVIN—"MEL." 1. Vice-President of S.B., 2. Football, Baseball, Track, 3. Freshman Boys' Commissioner, 4. Co-President of Y.M.C.A. Council, 5. Block SM, Student Council—A little.

HAMPTON, GORDON PRESTON—1. A.B.S. Representative —To graduate.

HANADA, TSUTOMU—"BEN." 1. Football, 2. Baseball, 3. A.B.S. Representative.

HANSEN, CAROL

HANSEN, LEONARD—"LEN." 1. Ex Board, 2. Tennis, 3. Senior Band—Judge.

HANSEN, SHIRLEY—1. A.G.S. President, 2. Student Council, 3. Junior Council, 4. Tri-Y Officer, 5. Ex Board.

HANSEN, RICHARD—"DICK." To become a successful businessman.

HANSON, ELEANOR LYNNE—1. Ex Board, 2. Tri-Y Secretary, 3. Art Commission, 4. Y Council—Interior decorator.

HARRIS, PETER—"PETE." 1. Ex Board, 2. Co-op Commissioner—Forestry service.

HARRIS, ROBERT

HEBERLING, GEORGE—1. Junior Council, 2. Improvement Commission, 3. President of "Twisters," 4. Swimming Team, 5. Saints Hi-Y—Engineer.

HELPER, MARY ELIZABETH—1. Spanish Club, 2. Footlighters, 3. French Club, 4. Community Service Commission, 5. Tri-Y—To travel.

HERMANS, ELIZABETH—"BETTY." To be an airline stewardess.

HICKS, JUDY—1. Ex Board.

HILL, ROBERT—"BOB." 1. Junior Council.

HOFFMAN, DAVID—"GUY." 1. Baseball, 2. Football, 3. President of Freshman Class, 4. "Twisters."

HOGBERG, PATRICIA—"PAT." 1. Music Commissioner, 2. Junior Council, 3. Ex Board, 4. Choir, 5. Footlighters—Theater.

HOLLAND, THOMAS—"TOM." 1. "Twisters."

HOLTZBERG, MARVIN DAVID—"MARV." 1. "Twisters," 2. Dance Commission, 3. Recreation Commission, 4. Stagecraft Commission, 5. Y.M.C.A. Member—To get my car on the cover of Hot Rod magazine.

HOOVER, ROBERTA—"BOBBIE." 1. Pompon Girl, 2. Tri-Y President, 3. Student Council, 4. Senior Council, 5. Vice-President of Tri-Y—Singer.

HUBLER, ANITA DOLORES—"NITA."

HUGHES, FRANKIE—To get my man and settle down.

HUNT, LAWRENCE LEE—"LARRY." 1. A.B.S. Representative, 2. Football, 3. Basketball, 4. Track, 5. Vice-President of Sultans Hi-Y—To go to college.

JACKSON, GWENDOLYN—"GWEN." 1. Band, 2. Tri-Y President, 3. Spanish Club, 4. Girls' Sports, 5. Auditorium Commission—Go to college.

JACOBSON, ROBERT STANFORD—"JAKE." Architecture.

JAMES, BEVERLY—"BEV." 1. Football Queen, 2. Student Council.

JANAKOS, LOUIS—"LOU." 1. Drama, 2. Public Speaking—To own a sporting goods store.

JENSEN, BRIGIT—"B.J." To graduate.

JOHNSON, ALBERTA—"BOBBIE."

JOHNSON, HARRY J.—To be Mr. America.

JOYCE, JACQUELINE—"JACKIE." 1. Tri-Y Vice-President, 2. A.G.S. Representative, 3. Orchestra—College.

JUDSON, DONALD—"DON." 1. Radio Production, 2. Twisters Hot Rod Club—Radio producing and directing.

JULIAN, LORRAINE CLAIRE—1. C.S.F., 2. A.G.S. Representative—To graduate.

KANKEL, JUDITH—"JUDY."

KEITH, CLAUDIA—"EFFIE." 1. Dance Commission, 2. Junior Council, 3. A.G.S. Representative, 4. Ex Board—Secretary.

KENNELY, DAVID—"DAVE." 1. Swimming Team, 2. Y.M.C.A. Member—Doctor.

KENT, MARY LOUISE—"LUCY." 1. Footlighters President, 2, Cateo Tri-Y, 3. Spanish Club—To become a famous actress.

KING, CLARK—"DORK." 1. Basketball, 2, Baseball, 3. Senior Council, 4. C.S.F., 5. Editor of the Hi Staff—To win a bet from "Bookie" Sutherlin.

KITAGAWA, GEORGE—1. Football, 2. Baseball, 3. Block SM—Auto mechanic.

KLICKA, ROBERT KARL—"BOB." 1. Football, 2. Track, 3. A.B.S. Representative, 4. Hi-Y.

KOMPST, STAN MARTIN—1. A.B.S. Representative, 2. Football and Baseball, 3. Junior Council, 4. S.B. Auditor, 5. Hi-Y, Block SM—Be a successful food taster.

KRELL, WYNNE—1. Student Council, 2. Camera Club—To be an architect and a builder.

KRISTJANSON, J. DAVID—"JOE." 1. S.B. Treasurer, 2. Junior and Senior Council, 3. Ex Cabinet, 4. Student Council, 5. Block SM—Stay a civilian.

KRISTOFFERSON, KRIS—1. Vice-President of Junior Class, 2. A.B.S. Vice-President, 3. Varsity Football and Track, 4. Block SM President, 5. Vice-President of Saints Hi-Y, 6. Assemblyman to Y.M.C.A. Youth and Government—Sports reporter.

KUNZ, GERALD—"JERRY." 1. Football, 2. A.B.S. Representative, 3. Saints Hi-Y—To retire.

LA CURE, FRANCES

LA MARR, ROBERT—"BOB." 1. Drama, 2. Junior Council.

LANDON, ANNETTE NETA—1. Footlighters, 2. Ex Board, 3. A.G.S. Representative, 4. Tri-Y—Seamstress.

LANGSDORF, MARGARET—1. Community Service Commissioner, 2. Vice-President of French Club, 3. Rally Commission, 4. Secretary of Footlighters, 5. C.S.F.

LANGSHAW, VALERIE BARBARA—"VAL." Airline hostess.

LARSON, CLAIRE MARIE—1. Tri-Y—To go to San Mateo J.C.

LASLEY, THOMAS—"TOM." 1. Ex Board, 2. Basketball, 3. Block SM, 4. Dixieland Band, 5. Hi-Y—To take out a girl with laryngitis.

LAX, CHARLES EDWARD—"MICKEY." 1. Sophomore Class Vice-President, 2. A.B.S. Vice-President, 3. Stagecraft Commissioner, 4. Four years Football, three years Track—Professional football player.

LEAKE, NANCY ANNETTE—"NAN." 1. French Club, 2. A.G.S. Representative—Mad physicist.

LE DREW, CAROL—1. Majorette, 2. Spanish Club, 3. A.G.S. Representative—Dancer.

LEE, KENNETH ALLEN—1. A.B.S. Representative—Automobile designer.

LEE, RICHARD ALAN—"DICK." 1. Art Commission, 2. K-13 Hi-Y, 3. Knights, 4. Block SM, 5. Track—"No shin pai."

LEE, RICHARD T.—1. C.S.F.

LENDER, PETER—"PETE." To build boats.

LEVINE, CAROLE—1. Red Cross Representative, 2. Tri-Y, 3. French Club—Concert pianist and piano teacher.

LEWIS, GORDON C.—"GORDO." 1. Junior Council. 2. Four years Basketball, 3. Four years Baseball, 4. Block SM, 5. Radio Production—Get into college.

LOUGHRAN, DEAN W.—1. Swimming Team, 2. A.B.S. Representative, 3. Water Polo, 4. Block SM—Navy.

LOVE, WILLIAM—"WILLIE." 1. Ex Board, 2. Picked up papers for Robbie and Wag, 3. Shutterbugs—Aeronautical engineer.

LUSCH, CAROL JEAN—1. Secretary of Sophomore Class, 2. Secretary of Senior Class, 3. Junior Council, 4. Secretary of A.G.S., 5. Dance Commission—Get through college, then settle down.

MANCINI, RAYMOND A.—"RAY." To become a butcher.

MANUEL, K. LEE—"LEAKY." 1. A.G.S. Secretary, 2. Freshman Class Secretary, 3. Junior Class Secretary, 4. Pompon Girl, 5. S.B. Secretary—Commercial artist.

MARR, WALTER EDWARD—"WALT." To have a new car.

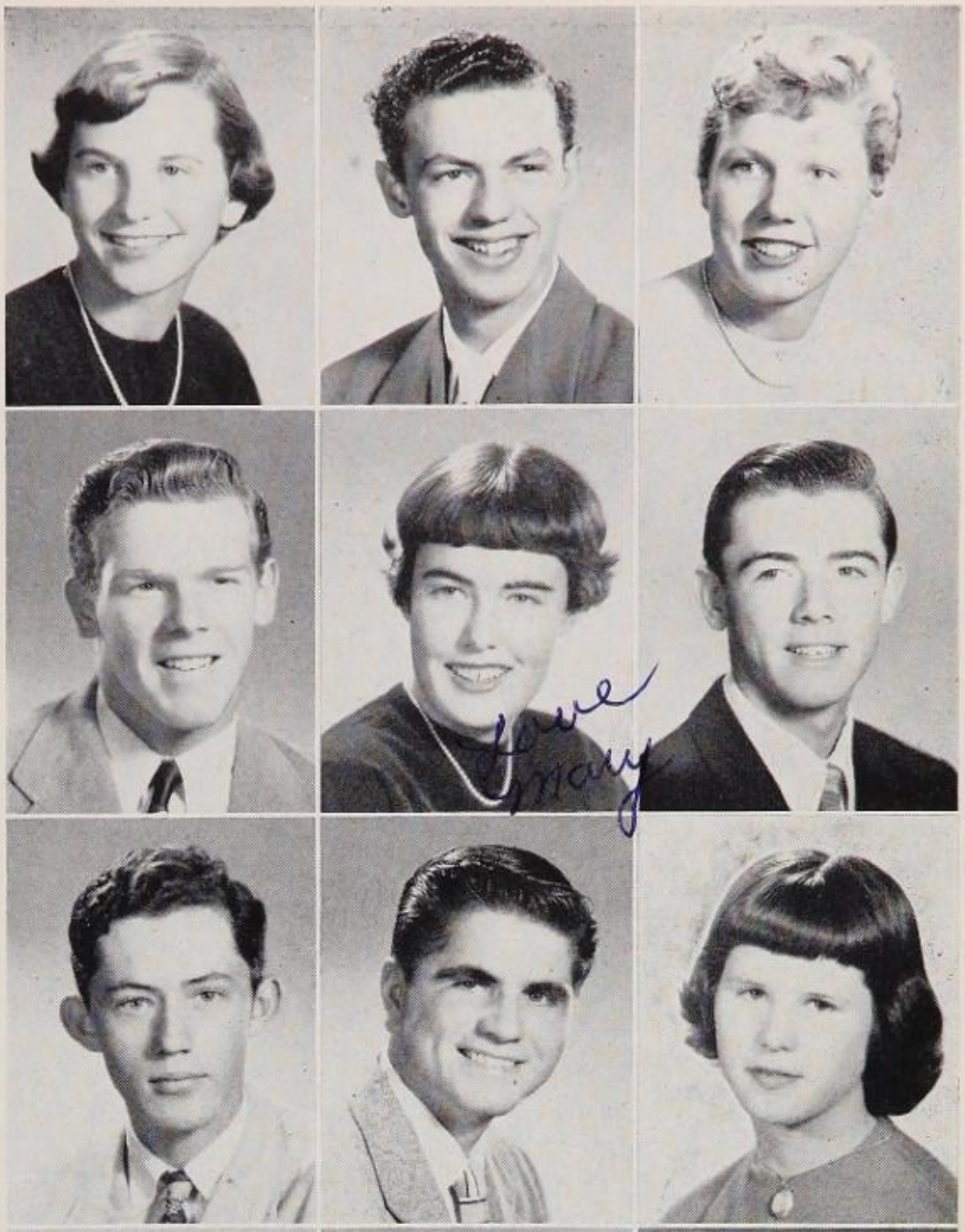
McCALLISTER, MARY—1. Student Council, 2. Spanish Club, 3. Tri-Y, 4. Footlighters—Trombone player.

McCARRON, JOSEPH A.—"JOE." 1. Varsity Baseball, 2. Ex Board, 3. A.B.S. Representative, 4. Block SM.

McINTOSH, ALAN—"AL." 1. Spanish Club, 2. Ex Board—Nuclear research physicist.

McKENNA, JOHN FRANCIS—1. C.S.F., 2. Hi-Y President, 3. A.B.S. Cabinet, 4. Auditorium Commissioner, 5. A.B.S. Representative—Dentistry.

McMARTIN, NANCY F.—1. Orchestra, 2. Morning Choir, 3. A.G.S. Representative—Violinist.



McLELLAN, JAN—"SAM." 1. Latin Club, 2. French Club, 3. Tri-Y, 4. A.G.S. Representative—Olive stuffer.

McMURTRY, CYNTHIA—"CINCE." 1. A.G.S. Secretary, 2. Junior Council, 3. Girls' State, 4. C.S.F.

McPHERSON, THEODORE W.—"TED." 1. Student Council—Retire at 25 years.

MERRILL, LANDELL HARRIS—"LANNY." 1. Sophomore President, 2. Recreation Commissioner, 3. S.B. President, 4. Basketball, 5. Freshman Boys' Commissioner, 6. Harvard Award 1952-3—Graduate from both Stanford and Harvard Business and Law Schools.

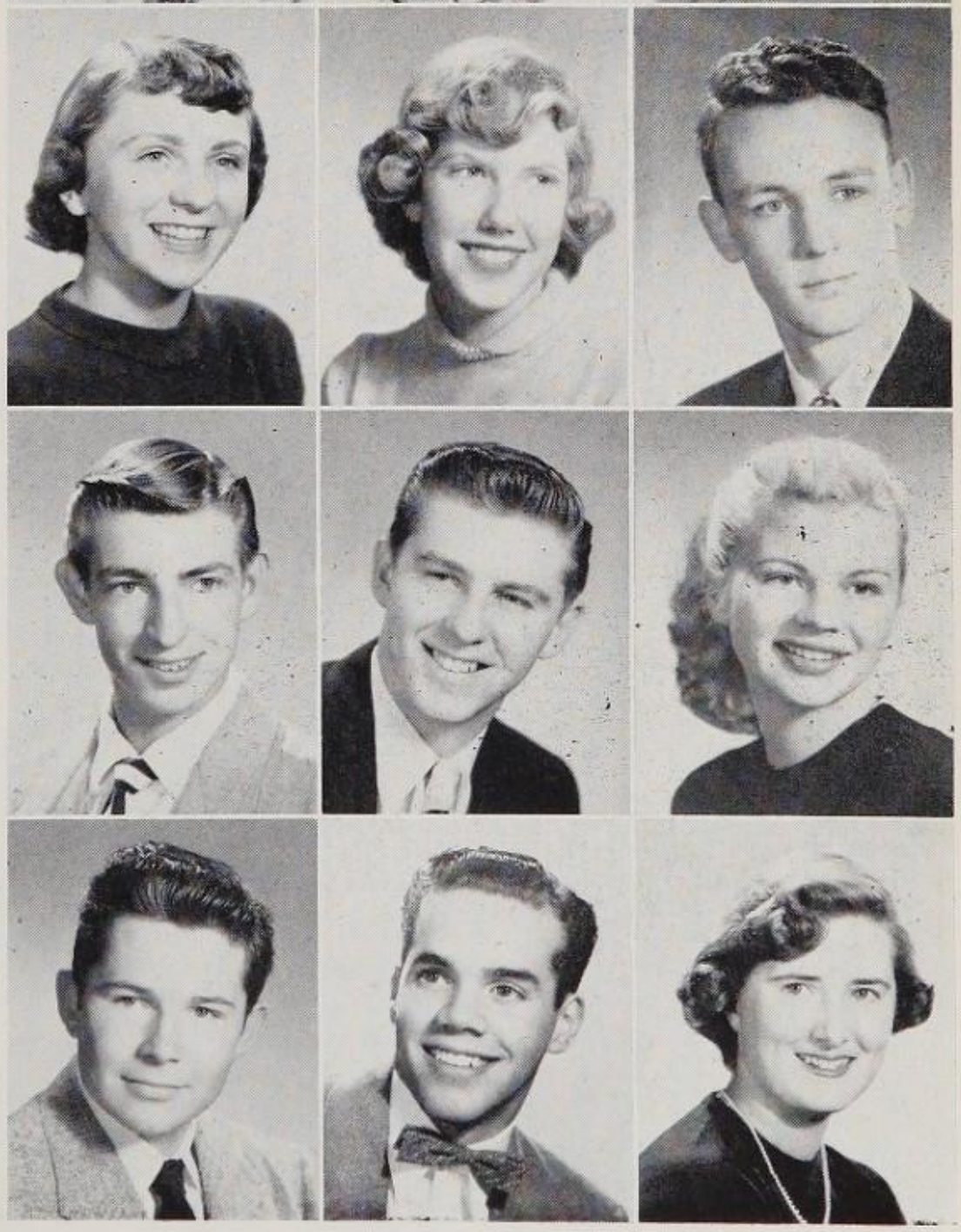
MESSICK, HARRY—1. Baseball.

METZ, NANNETTE—"NAN." 1. Model, 2. Job's Daughters—To marry a millionaire and be an artist.

MEYERS, PAUL WILLIAM—"SHADOW." 1. A.B.S. Representative, 2. Ex Board, 3. Baseball, 4. Football, 5. Block SM—Go to University of California.

MICHELSON, RONALD KEITH—"RON." Dentist.

MINEHAN, JANE—"MINN." 1. A.G.S. Representative, 2. Student Council, 3. After-School Sports, 4. Girls' Block SM, 5. Latin Club—College.



MESSERSCHMIDT, MARGIE

MIRAVALLE, PAT

MONTGOMERY, JOAN ALICE—"JOANIE." 1. Tri-Y, 2. C.S.F., 3. School Paper, 4. Art Commission, 5. Drama Club—To be a model.

MOORE, WANDA—"HEY YOU." 1. Auditorium Commission, 2. Senior Council, 3. C.S.F., 4. Tri-Y, 5. Dance Commission—Airline stewardess.

MORRIS, MARY BOND—1. Drama Commissioner, 2. A Cappella, 3. Spanish Club, 4. Footlighters—Artist.

MORSE, CHARLINE—1. Tri-Y Vice-President, 2. A.G.S. Cabinet, 3. A.G.S. Representative, 4. Ex Board, 5. Y.M. C.A. Council Member—Airline stewardess.

MOSHER, CHRISTINE—"CHRIS." To go to San Jose State, get married, and buy a new car.

MURDOCK, MARGERY KAY—"MARGIE." 1. Tri-Y, 2. Spanish Club, 3. Band—Teacher.

MUSEL, BARBARA ANN—1. A.G.S. Representative, 2. Ex Board, 3. Rally Commission, 4. Constitution Committee—Barker in Ringling Bros. Circus.

MUSSMAN, KONDA—1. Senior Council, 2. Tri-Y.

NAKAHARA, EMIKO—"AMY." 1. C.S.F., 2. Tennis—Typist.

NICHOL, ROBERT BRUCE—"BOB." 1. Varsity Baseball, 2. A.B.S. Representative, 3. Block SM—Artist.

NIELSEN, JAMES MILLER—"JIM." 1. Choir, 2. Track—Lightbulb snatcher.

NANNINI, GUIDO

NORDT, RICHARD L.—"RICH." 1. A.B.S. Representative, 2. Ex Board, 3. Swimming, 4. Diving, 5. Block SM—The best "pipes" in school.

NORTON, ADA

NOVELLO, JAMES—"JIM." 1. Student Council—Auto mechanic.

ODOM, WILLIAM MARTIN—"BILL." 1. S.B. President, 2. Football, 3. Boys' State, 4. Junior Class President, 5. Saints Hi-Y.

O'HARA, JOHN

O'NEIL, AUDREY

ONO, JIMMY—1. Football.

OTA, YASUYUKI—"YAS." Mechanic.

PACK, PATRICIA—"PAT."

PARISH, DOLORES—"DOLOR." 1. Tri-Y Treasurer, 2. Nursing Club, 3. Student Council, 4. A Cappella, 5. Grounds Commission—Air Force nurse.

PARKINSON, KAREN ANN—1. Ex Board, 2. C.S.F., 3. Majorette, 4. French Club, 5. A.G.S. Representative—Teacher.

PERRY, RICHARD—"DICK." 1. Ex Board, 2. Tennis, 3. A Cappella, 4. To be an Ishkabeebleotendotenboboskodetendotage Dowamowajohinkyno silitice.

PERRY, VINSON RICHARD—"VINCE." 1. Y.M.C.A. Club Member, 2. Ex Board, 3. Dance Commission, 4. Student Council.

PERIN, VELMA

PERSSON, JUNE CAROLYN—1. Drum Major of Band, 2. Band, 3. Tri-Y, 4. Spanish Club, 5. Nursing Club—Nursing.

PETERSON, JANIS—1. Band, 2. Choir, 3. Job's Daughters—Primary teacher.

PETERSON, JOYCE

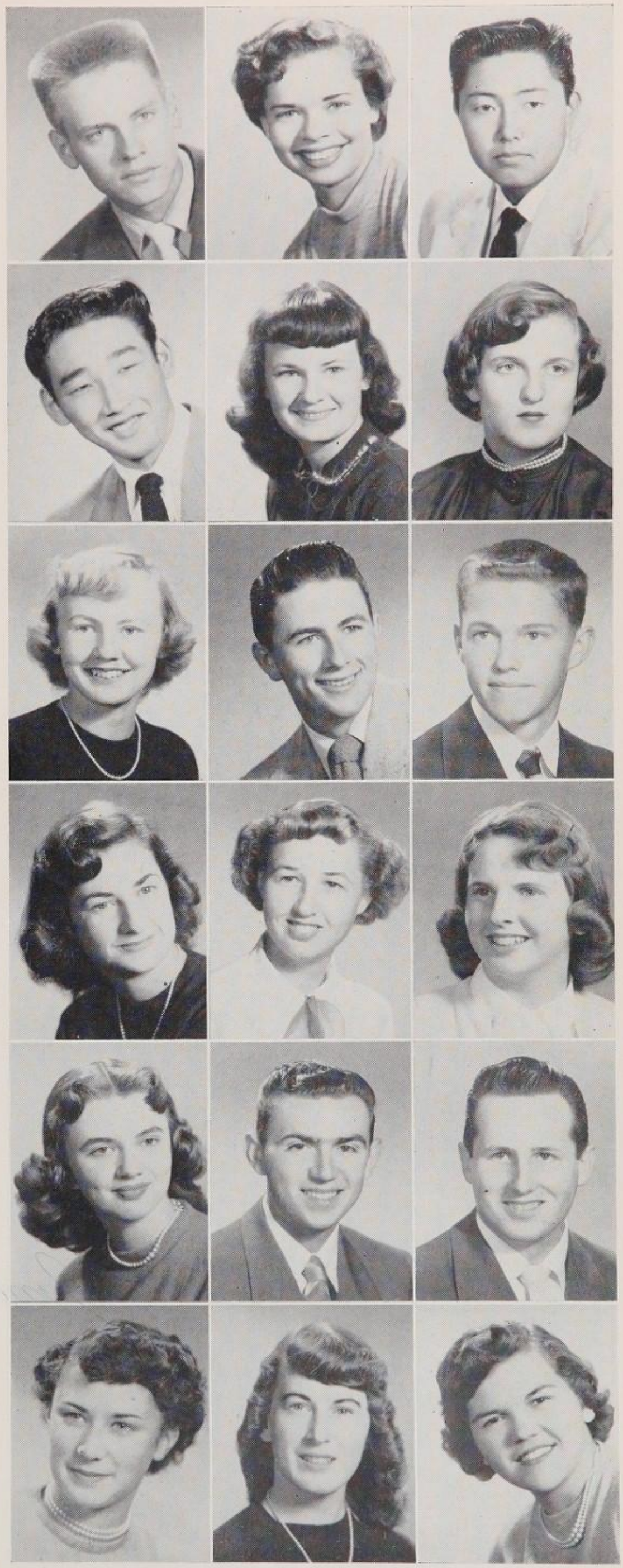
PIANA, VINCENT JAMES—"VINCE." 1. Baseball—Electrical worker.

PIERCE, JAMES STEPHEN—"JIM." 1. Football, 2. Swimming, 3. A.B.S. Representative, 4. Ex Board, 5. Radio Production—U.S.C.

PICCHI, DIANA

PITCHER, AUDREY

PITTS, SARANELL—1. Spanish Club, 2. French Club, 3. Footlighters, 4. A Cappella—Dramatic actress.



PLOSS, JACQUELYN—"JACKIE." 1. Footlighters—Sales, merchandising or buying.

POWERS, NORMA

PRATHAFATAKIS, KATHERINE NICK—"KATHI." 1. Ex Board, 2. Junior Council, 3. Footlighters, 4. A.G.S. Representative—Artist.

PRICE, KEN

PUCHNER, JEANETTE—1. A Cappella, 2. Freshman Talent Assembly, 3. German Club, 4. Senior Council, 5. Election Board—Child psychologist.

QUIST, KEITH—"CHURNER." 1. Sports, 2. Block SM, 3. A.B.S. Representative, 4. Band, 5. Secretary Nobles Hi-Y—Tap dancer.

QUIGLEY, JANET RAE—"JAN." 1. Hi Staff, 2. A Cappella —Journalist.

RADEBAUGH, ALICE—1. C.S.F., 2. Tri-Y President, 3. Art Commission, 4. Latin Club, 5. Won $50 in Real Estate Board Essay Contest—Hermit.

RALSTON, JAMES P.—"JIM." 1. Hot Rod Club—Mechanical engineer.

RANCH, LEWIS C.—"LEW." 1. Spanish Club President, 2. Swimming Team, 3. Science Club, 4. Track—Engineer (make my million before I'm 25).

RAUTMANN, RICHARD FRED—"DICK." 1. Baseball, 2. Basketball, 3. Football.

RAY, JAMES HARRISON—"JACK." 1. A.B.S. Representative, 2. Track, 3. Baseball, 4. Ex Board—A successful life.

RENEAU, LEON R.—"LONNY." Mechanical engineer.

ROBINSON, RENEE KAY—1. A.G.S. Representative, 2. Spanish Club, 3. Rainbow Girls, 4. Peninsular Art Association—To go to Art Center in L.A.

ROBERTS, ARTHUR JAMES—"JIM." 1. A.B.S. Representative, 2. Ex Board, 3. Golf Team, 4. Swimming Team, 5. Radio Production—Tap dancer.

Jim Roberts

ROOT, RON

ROSEN, BERN C.—"CYRUS." Dentist.

ROUVELLAT, JEAN—1. Senior Council.

ROVETA, BARBARA—"BOBBIE." 1. Secretary of French Club, 2. A.G.S. Representative, 3. Student Council, 4. Carnival Committee, 5. Tri-Y.

ROYSTER, NAOMI LEE—"PUNCH." 1. Just recently transferred; Vice-President of Junior Class—Nursing.

REUCKERT, DOLORES

RUDERMAN, MYRON HARVEY—"MIKE."

SACHT, RICHARD—"DICK."

ST. CLAIR, THOMAS WILLIAM—"TOM." 1. Decorating Committee for Junior Prom of '53—Pilot in the Air Force.

SANER, JOHN E.—"JESS." 1. Basketball, 2. A.B.S. Representative, 3. Ex Board—One of "Wags" dive bombers.

SANO, AKIRA—1. Basketball, 2. Tennis, 3. Ex Board—Business.

SAVAGE, JOAN—1. Spanish Club Secretary, 2. A.G.S. Representative, 3. Tri-Y Officer, 4. Assemblyman to Y.M.C.A. Youth and Government, 5. Radio Production—Merchandising.

SCANNELL, ARTHUR R.—"ART." Counterfeiter.

SCHENONE, DONNA CAROL—"MOM." 1. Radio Production, 2. Ex Board, 3. A.G.S. Representative—To live up to my nickname.

SCHMIDT, LORRAINE JUNE—1. After-School Sports, 2. Bowling Club, 3. Senior Council—Marriage and three children.

SCHMITZ, GERALD CLEMENT—"JERRY." 1. Y.M.C.A., 2. Newman Club—Pharmacist.

SINE, TOM

SHAPRO, LINDA—1. G.A.C. Secretary, 2. A.G.S. Vice-President, 3. Freshman Girls' Commissioner, 4. Student Council, 5. German Club, 6. C.S.F. President—Stanford.

SCHOLL, KEN

SCHUMACHER, RICHARD BINNING—"SHOES." 1. Parliamentarian, 2. Track, 3. A.B.S. Secretary, 4. Basketball, 5. Student Council, 6. Senior Council—To have Miss Goetzl believe that I studied.

SCHUMACHER, ROBERT H.—"BOB." 1. Senior Class President, 2. Ex Board, 3. Dance Commissioner, 4. President of Saints Hi-Y, 5. Football—Pass Walker's math classes.

SEITH, JIM—"VITAMIN." 1. Baseball.

SEKANY, ROBERT—"BOB." 1. A.B.S. Cabinet, 2. Basketball—Auto mechanic.

SHEFFIELD, PAUL BURT—1. President of Nobles Hi-Y, 2. Senior Council, 3. Recreation Commission, 4. Track, 5. Block SM—Dentist.

SIDDON, RONALD WALTER—"RON." To graduate, and be an airman apprentice in the Navy.

SILVA, CAROLINE ROSE—1. Girls' Block SM, 2. G.A.C. Vice-President, 3. After-School Sports—P.E. teacher.

SISSON, DONALD—"DON." 1. A.B.S. Representative, 2. Golf Team—Astronomer.

SMITH, JEANNE CAROLYN—"GEEGEE." 1. Ex Board—To get married.

SMITH, THOMAS ALBERT FRANCIS—"SCOTTY." 1. Ex Board, 2. F-S Football Manager, 3. Junior Statesmen, 4. Track Manager, 5. Civil Air Patrol—I stand on the 5th amendment.

STEWART, ROBERT MILES—"BOB." 1. Basketball, 2. Golf, 3. Sales Manager for the Elm—Sports announcer or golf pro.

STOCKEY, JANICE RAE—1. Tri-Y—Nurse.

STOUT, MARILYN—1. Art Commission—Art teacher.

STREIGHT, BRUCE—"BUTCH." 1. Track—To build the hottest "rod" in California.

STROTHER, WILLIAM JOHNSTON—"BILL." Play Professional soccer and then get married.

SULLIVAN, CATHERINE PATRICIA—"CATHY." 1. Ex Board, 2. A.G.S. Representative, 3. Dance Commission, 4. Tri-Y—Secretary.

SULLIVAN, MARLENE—1. Junior Council.

SUTHERLIN, JOHN—"BOOKIE." 1. A.B.S. Representative, 2. A.B.S. Cabinet, 3. Hi-Y Member, 4. Track—Racetrack driver.

TAKAHASHI, ALBERT YUKIMASA—1. Swimming Team, 2. Senior Band—Chemist.

TANJUATCO, EVELYN—1. Girls' Sports, 2. Glee Club, 3. A.G.S. Representative, 4. G.A.C., 5. Girls' Block SM—Time will tell.

TATUM, NANTHALENE ROBERTA—"RED." To marry a millionaire.

THAYER, PETER ALAN—"PAT." 1. Basketball, 2. Recreation Commission, 3. Y.M.C.A. Model Legislature, 4. "Twisters"—Photographer.

THIGPEN, STEPHEN—"STEVE." 1. Baseball, 2. Football, 3. A.B.S. Representative, 4. Student Council, 5. President of Saints Hi-Y, 6. "Twisters"—None.

THOMPSON, HAZEL RHAE—1. Ex Board, 2. Footlighters, 3. Tri-Y—Receptionist.

TINKER, GORDON WILSON—"SPAS." 1. Track, 2. Basketball, 3. A.B.S. Cabinet President, 4. C.S.F., 5. President of K-13—Picket leader.

TOOMASSON, PEETER—"PETE." 1. French Club, 2. German Club—Join the Navy.

TRITTIPO, RICHARD—"DICK." 1. Football Manager, 2. Block SM, 3. Radio Production—To own a radio station.

TURTON, VIRGINIA CAROL—1. Tri-Y, 2. Spanish Club—Get all my homework done when it is supposed to be.

TUTER, JANICE

TYLOR, SUSAN—"SUE." 1. Ex Board, 2. A.G.S. Representative, 3. Junior Council, 4. Art Commission, 5. Tri-Y—Get out of high school.

UHLAND, RON—"YOUEE." 1. Basketball, 2. Baseball, 3. Vice-President of Hi-Y, 4. A.B.S. Representative—To be in the wholesale clothing business.

VAN BEBBER, AILEEN LOUISE—1. Job's Daughters, 2. After-School Sports, 3. Glee Club—To be a beauty operator.

VAN STRALEN, FRANK—1. Senior Council, 2. Rally Commission, 3. Track, 4. Block SM, 5. Vice-President of Saints Hi-Y, 6. Hi Staff—To be a Russian spy.

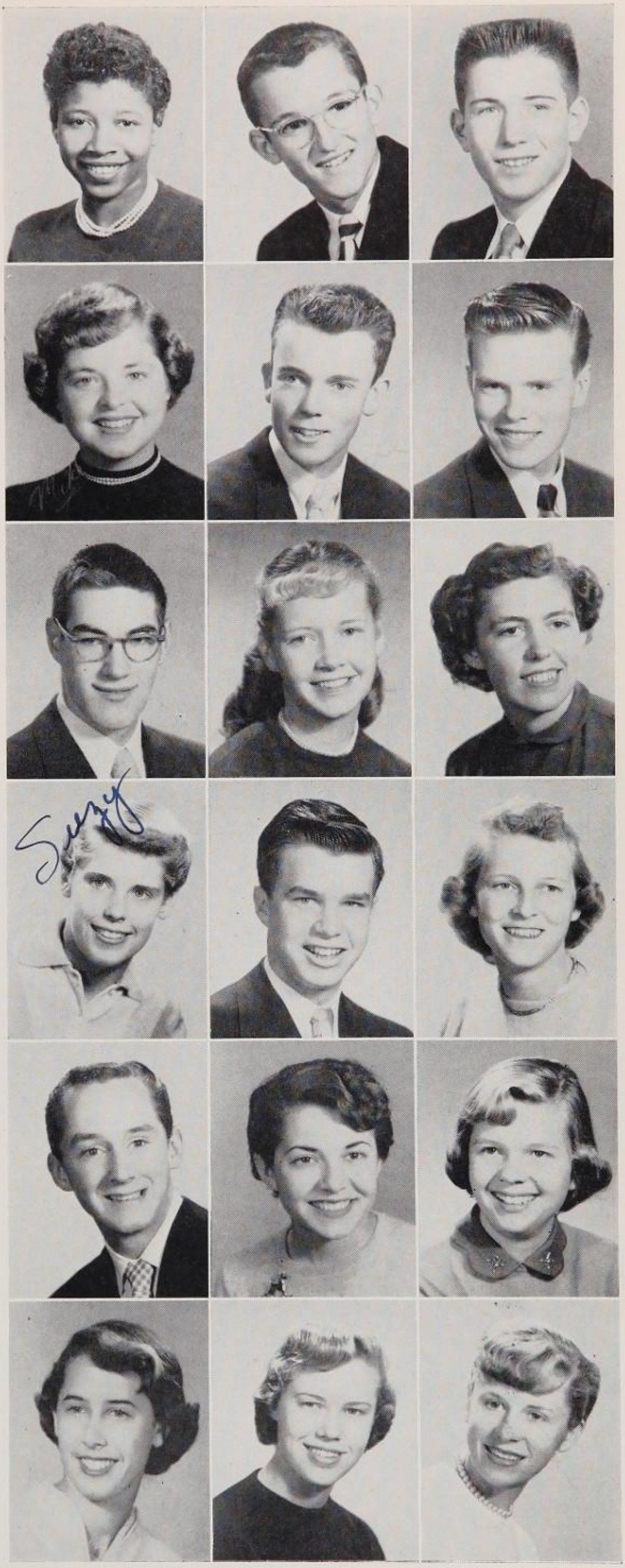
VILLEIA, ELLA ROSE

VOLGAMORE, RUTH ANN—1. Ex Board, 2. A.G.S. Vice-President, 3. A.G.S. Representative, 4. Dance Commission, 5. Art Commission—Go to college.

WACHOLDER, LYNNE—1. Ex Board, 2. Rally Commission, 3. Dance Commission, 4. Art Commission—To go to college.

WEDEMEYER, KAREN—1. A.G.S. Cabinet, 2. Recreation Commission, 3. A.G.S. Representative—Ballet teacher.

WESTLAKE, BETTY JEAN—1. Nursing Club—Nurse.



WILD, JACQUELYN DAWN—1. Fi-Di Tri-Y, 2. A.G.S. Representative, 3. Junior Council—Work with children in the police department.

WILSON, RIVA—"SPEEDIE." 1. Girls' Athletics. 2. Spanish Club, 3. A.G.S. Representative, 4. Dance Commission, 5. Ex Board—Beat the second bell in the morning.

WOOD, SHARON GAIL—"SHERRY." 1. A Cappella, 2. German Club, 3. Bowling Club—School teacher or singer.

WOOLFITT, MARILYN ETHEL—"MINNIE." 1. Student Council, 2. Community Service Commission—Nurse.

WYANT, ALICE

YATES, JOAN ELLEN—"JOANNIE." 1. Block SM, 2. Tri-Y —Get married.

YAMATODA, JANE

YOUNG, KATHRYN E.—"BETTY." 1. Rally Commission—Business administration or a dancer.

YOUNG, GENE JOHN—"SPEEDY." 1. Riordan Frosh Class President, 2. Track, 3. Rally Commissioner—To get

YUEN, HENRY JOE—"HANK." 1. A.B.S. Representative—Mechanical engineer or aircraft draftsman.

YUI, NOBUYUKI—"ONION." 1. Football, 2. Block SM—Own a gas station.

ZACCHEO, JEAN—1. After-School Sports, 2. G.A.C., 3. Junior Council.

ZALL, HARVEY RONALD—1. Student Council, 2. S.B. Auditor, 3. Chairman of Constitution Committee, 3. President of Temple Youth Group, 4. Winner of Lions Club Speaking Contest—Lawyer, psychiatrist, or Rabbi.

ZIEGLER, NORTON NEUBERT—"NORT." 1. Senior Class Vice-President, 2. Football, 3. Track, 4. Baseball, 5. Elm Staff—Be a brewmaster.

CRAWFORD, WILLIAM—"BILL." 1. Band. 2. German Club.

SQUIRES, JAMES—1. Band.

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SENIOR POLL 1954

GIRL	WITH THE	BOY
Bev James	HAIR	Tom Holland
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Barbara Roveta	SMILE	Larry Gifford
Barbara Roveta	TEETH	Jim Atkins
Shirley Hansen	COMPLEXION	Kris Kristofferson
Carol Lusch	LEGS	Harvey Zall
Bev James	FIGURE	Mickey Lax
Marilyn Dunn	PROFILE	Lanny Merrill
Carol Lusch	GIGGLE	Jack Ray
Sandy Berman	BRAIN	Larry Gifford
Gayle Burnstein	PERSONALITY	Bill Odom
Pat Hogberg	VOICE	Dick Perry

	WHO'S THE	
Bobbe Binsacca	SHYEST	Jack Ray
K. Lee Manuel	FRIENDLIEST	Bill Odom
Gayle Burnstein	PEPPIEST	Gene Young
K. Lee Manuel	WITTIEST	Bruce Barrie
Marilyn Dunn	BEST DRESSED	Paul Sheffield
Betsy Grinnell	BEST ATHLETE	Mickey Lax
Jane Hamilton	BEST ACTRESS - ACTOR	Bob La Marr
Carla Burmester	MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED	Harvey Zall
Kathy Prathafatakis	FLIRT	Dick Rautmann
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Bobbe Binsacca	MISS SAN MATEO - MR.	Bill Odom
Al Nichols	COUPLE OF THE YEAR	Guy Hoffman

SENIOR REVIEW

As our spotlight wends its way through the pages of this 1954 Elm, it falls upon the climax of the book and, in the center of attention, the Class of '54.

Yes, our class is finally on top. Now we are the upper-upperclassmen — the "mighty" ones. But let's turn back the calendar to those days when we were just beginning this new venture called S.M. High School.

Dennis Daniels, Gayle Burnstein, and Bobbe Binsacca were the leaders we elected to start our class activities off with a bang. A talent show, the Hello Day (where many new friendships were formed), our Senior Bow Day (Oh, my achin' back), and our first fun night, sparked this first semester. Some of the braver ones even went to the A.G.S. dance "A Little Bit of Heaven," and the A.B.S. dance, "Superstitious Stomp." Guy Hoffman, Bill Cox, and K. Lee Manuel were the officers who headed the annual Campus Day during the second semester. What fun it was showing those awe-stricken eighth graders around the campus as though "we knew everything."

But the days zoomed by and even before we could tell an Up strairway from a Down stairway, it seemed, we were Sophomores.

This was the only time in our class history that we elected a girl to be our president. Bobbe Binsacca and her helpers Al Nichols and Marilyn Dunn spearheaded the many fun times this semester, and the all-important rally honoring our victorious Frosh-Soph football team. Lanny Merrill, Mickey Lax, and Carol Lusch then took over the class helm. Fun nights, assemblies and dances — all going to make this a wonderful year. But the best was yet to come.

We're now Juniors — at last, upperclassmen. With Bill Odom, Dick Lyman and K. Lee Manuel as class officers our fun night is nothing less than fabulous. Our own Junior Prom, "Coral Paradise," turns out to be a terrific success, ultra-violet under-water decorations and all. Under the leadership of Dennis Daniels, Kris Kristofferson and Carla Burmester, we add another fun night — complete with swimming, volleyball, games, and dancing — and a Carnival booth to our list of accomplishments. The Carnival found us selling cotton candy and candied apples and aside from the fact that we had to build our own booth and then only to profit 43 cents, the venture was chalked up as another wonderful experience.

Now the time has come — the time we've all looked forward to with eager anticipation — OUR SENIOR YEAR.

Bob Schumacher, Norton Ziegler and Carol Lusch guided us and it was through their organizing that we had our first class skate. Class spirit was at an all-time peak and the school spirit was buoyed up because of it. Terrific spirit was shown at our football games and rallies. Our reward for such spirit — for the first time in our four years of high school, we witnessed a San Mateo football team BEAT BURLINGAME. Oh, what a Thanksgiving Day that was — one we'll not likely forget for quite some time. But the days kept whizzing by and before we realized it another semester was over.

Roy Gustafson, Jerry Kunz and Betsy Grinnell — the chosen ones — planned such events to top off our senior activities as the Jinx Day (what fun!) the Senior luncheon, the skate, the Carnival booth, and last but certainly not least, the dreamy Senior Ball held at the California Golf and Country Club. Yes, we've accomplished a great deal as a class and have had a lot of fun doing it, but the story isn't complete yet.

Graduation ceremonies and then — for the first time in San Mateo High School's history — the Senior parents combined their efforts and presented the class with the best graduation present ever — a party and Senior Breakfast at the Peninsula Golf and Country Club. Dancing, delicious food, and wonderful entertainment — an elegant affair and a perfect climax to our four years of high school.

On June 17 the Class of '54 bade farewell to San Mateo Hi but the friendships we made here and the knowledge we gained here will be treasured memories throughout our lives.

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Jackie:
One of the best kids in the whole senior class. Have fun this summer and I'll probably see you at Baldwin T.
John Fulberton

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I can't really express in black and white how much I appreciate all the help, but again, thank you, each and every one.

BOB FARNAM, Editor

Dear Jackie;

I can't write what I want to because of circumstances which I think you realize. But I hope you get him back even if I would envy you. Best of luck in all you do you really deserve it

Lots of luck

your friend in P.E.

Jan

Jackie, Best of luck to a real sweet pal who I really like alot. You finally made it but us we're still just seniors — Have fun at grad nite and always. Be good and come see me and call me sometimes. I'll miss you cause you're really a nice girl I know very well. Congrats! Bye for now —

Yours

Dearest Jackie -

well it's all over - doesn't it seem wonderful - It has been nice knowing you better this year. I hope that we'll be seeing each other this summer. About all - be nice to <u>him</u> - you know what I mean. - have fun tonight & don't get to high. Be good & the best of luck always

Love Mary

Dear Jackie -
I can't begin
to express my thanks
for how wonderful you
were and always have been
to me. You know that I
really think the world of you
Jackie. Wish both had our problems
and its been fun having some one
to talk them over with. Forget the
drive in "dear" Kits sor. Your kitwe sdre gave
him a bad time. Kits hope next year will still be
as good of friends as we are now. It's going
to be a ball at J.C. (lots of specimens I hope)
Love yat always,
Claire

Dear Jackie
Yours are so many
opinion the nabors
Mr. the Enemy
Love Pete Dr Mom
Bemo

Jackie -
It has really
been great knowing
you

Joan Andrea

Jackie -
Best of luck to
a good friend. I
will never forget
our good times together.
I wish you success.
Love ya much,
Claudia

Jackie -
It has been nice
knowing you
these past years.
Good luck in what
ever you do.
Man -

Dear Jackie -
I wish you the
best of luck in the
future because
really deserve it.
I wish you the best
life has to offer

Love
Bob Armanino

Dear Jackie -
Lots of luck
to a great kid
Have something
to remember
night for you -
Ronnie

Dear Jackie -
Good luck to a
cute gal. I hope you
made a great sweetheart
and good cake
Love ya,
Joan Lucks